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3 years jail

NEW YORK, (Reuter): Ivan Boesky, the powerful Wali Street financier who played a key role in the biggest insider trading scheme in US history, was sentenced yesterday to three years in prison. But he was not fined. Bus crash

NEW DELHI, (AP): At least

nine people were killed and 55 injured when a bus toppled into a gorge in southern India while carrying pilgrims to a Hindu holy site, the United News of India reported yesterday.

Kidnappers threat

BEIRUT, (AP): A pro-Iranian group yesterday threatened to hurt four hostages it holds, three Americans and an Indian, if Israel does not stop the killings of Palestinian demonstrators in the occupied West Bank and Gaza

45 detained

COLOMBO, (AP): At least eight students were injured in clashes with Army troops and police yesterday after they attempted to prevent searches for arms and bombs in a university campus near Colombo, officials said.

Hussein's letter

DAMASCUS, (AP): Jordanian Prime Minister Zaid Rifai met with President Hafez Assad yesterday and delivered a letter from King Hussein.

Double agent

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MOSCOW, (Reuter): British double agent Kim Philby, who escaped to Moscow 24 years ago after betraying Western secrets, appeared in a Soviet spy film on Latvian television yesterday, the official Tass news agency said.

Trade accord

ANKARA. (Reuter): Turkey said a European Parliament vote to delay approval of a bilateral trade accord was politically motivated and could have serious implications.

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Tanker carrying Kuwaiti

MANAMA, Dec 18, (UPI): Iranian speedboats fired nine rockets today at a supertanker laden with Kuwaiti crude oil not escorted by the US Navy and attacked another tanker from Saudi Arabia,

shipping officials said. Also today, Iraqi warplanes evidently attacked a Britishmanaged tanker in Iranian service at Lavan Island oil terminal, the Gulf-based officials reported. The 125,865-ton Free Enterprise ran aground while trying to dodge the Iraqi jets' French-made Exocet missiles,

they said. The attacks climaxed one of the worst outbreaks of the "tanker war" since its outset in 1984. Some Gulf analysts believe Iran has acquired recently a consignment of Chinese-made C801 ship-borne missiles with similar characteristics to the Exocet.

Caused

Others believe the spate of attacks is caused by anger on both sides at the inconclusive Opec meeting that ended on Tuesday and the subsequent dive in oil prices to below \$15 per barrel

Revolutionary Guards used three speedboats to fire nine rockets at the 140.277-ton Norwegian-flagged tanker Happy Kari, which was sailing through the Strait of Hormuz bound for Khor Fakkan in the Gulf of Oman, officials said.

The Happy Kari was fully laden with Kuwaiti crude oil

when it was hit but was not under US navalescort, like the 11 tankers re-registered under the Stars and Stripes since July.

The attack took place at 1 pm (0900 GMT) and started a fire that the crew quickly extingui-shed. The Norwegian captain turned down an offer of tug assistance, opting to press on for his destination. It was not clear whether the rockets were rocket-. propelled grenades or another kind of ordinance.

A pair of Iranian speedboats attacked the 208,667-ton Saudi Splendour as the vessel was steaming through the southern Gulf toward the Saudi coast, where it was to pick up a load of oil, the officials said.

Damage

The attack caused minor damage to the vessel and injured no one on board, they said.

Shipping sources said Iranian gunboat fire punched two holes in the side of the Saudi Splendour and the ship was forced to a stan-dstill after it lost the radar. Ships do not sail at night with-

out radar. The attack also ignited a small fire aboard the Saudi Splendour that was extinguished by its crew, said the London-based Lloyd's

shipping intelligence unit. The vessel is owned by Saudi Maritime Co Ltd of Jeddah, which is a joint venture involving Saudis, Greeks and the US oil

company Mobil Corp. The two incidents, neither of

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US will expel Soviet diplomat caught spying

WASHINGTON, Dec 18, (AP): The United States caught a Soviet diplomat trying to obtain US defence technology and will expel him from the country, a US government official said today. The official said Mikhail

Katkov, second secretary at the Soviet mission to the United Nations, was attempting to spy on American industry to get information on technology with a military application.
"He was unquestionably

involved in espionage and it did not just involve the civilian sector. It involved defence related technology." said the official, who spoke on condition of anon-

Surveillance

Katkov was "a lower level operative," caught in the "pretty solid surveillance we have" of Soviet officials in the United States, the official said.

The official said although the administration of President Reagan is upset about any Soviet spying, he did not expect the incident to cause a major detour in a US-Soviet drive to improve relations on a broad agenda of human rights, arms control regional and bilateral issues.

The administration also does not expect the Soviets to retaliate by expelling a US diplomat, although you can never predict what they will do," the official

United Nations Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar said FBI agents apprehended the man probably in New York yesterday but released him after he showed his diplomat's card, entitling him to immunity from prosecution.

Identified

"He has apparently been dis-covered in a kind of illegal activity," which was "alleged espionage," the UN chief said.

Perez de Cuellar identified the diplomat only as a second secretary at the Soviet mission. The UN directory lists 17 second

The Soviet mission provided the name of the diplomat in a two-sentence statement early

"The fact of detention of the Second Secretary of the Soviet mission, Mikhail Katkov, has taken place. Contacts between American and Soviet corresponding authorities are under way," the statement said.

The battleship USS Iowa fires it's sixteen-inch guns during exercises in the Arabian sea. The

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aircraft carrier USS Midway can be seen in the background. (Reuter radiophoto)

Opposition calls election a fraud

Violence erupts after Roh victory

President Chun Doo Hwan threatened a harsh crackdown on post-election violence today us riot police stormed a polling station and dragged away more than 1,000 people protesting allegations of fraud in Wednesday's presidential polling.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1987

Other protests erupted across the country, with students and dissidents calling the election "null and void." Opposition officials said they were waiting for word from their leaders before mounting a concerted campaign against the polling. But President-elect Roh Tae-Woo held out an olive branch to

the opposition, promising to form a national committee for

A KUWAITI tanker sank in the

Atlantic on Thursday 640 miles off the east coast of Florida after

being in collision with a Pan-amanian freighter, the tanker's

Salah Fahd Al Obeid, admin-

istrative manager of the Kuwait

Shipping Company, told the

Kuwait news agency Kuna the 23,618-tonne Qarouh sank at 2150 GMT on Thursday.

The ship, carrying grain to Port Said in Egypt, and the Pan-amanian -flag freighter Explorer collided on Tuesday.

US Coast Guard spokesman

Tom Gillespie said in Miami on

Thursday the Qarouh's 28-man

crew had been evacuated safely

The Explorer was being escor-

ted to Mayport, Florida under its

LOS ANGELES, Dec 18, (AP):

Marilyn Monroe's lounging pajamas, a lock of hair, a movie

script and other memorabilia

were placed in a see-through

plastic time capsule on Wednes-day that will be unearthed on the

100th anniversary of her death.

her sister to the ambulance driver

who came to get her body, took

part in the capsule-loading

ceremony at one of her haunts, the Cinegrill at the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel.

New drug

Those who knew the actress in life and in death, ranging from

own steam for repairs, he said.

Marilyn capsule

He said there had been no loss

owners said yesterday.

of life or injuries.

by a US Navy tug.

Kuwaiti ship

sinks in

Atlantic

wounds that have festered through seven years of Chun's authoritarian rule.

Freed

Roh also said he would free political prisoners "who repent their guilt." A similar amnesty freed nearly 1,000 prisoners last July, but human rights watchdog groups say an equal number has been jailed since June, when Roh promised sweeping democratic reforms.

A neighbourhood official in Seoul declared he had been bribed by the ruling party and set himself on fire in front of his neighbours in a suicide attempt. news reports said.

In an early-morning raid.

downtown Seoul chanting "The election is null and void" and Terminate military rule," hurling Molotov cocktails at riot police lining the streets and tor-

ching two police substations. Several hundred students occupied Myongdong cathedral

in Secul, denouncing domestic (Continued on Page 2)

police overwhelmed more than

1,000 protesters at a Seoul poll-

ing station, where they were hol-

ding what they said was an altered ballot box, sparking a three-hour battle with rocks, firebombs and tear gas. Police

said 1,003 people were arrested

and 36 people were injured. Students, in groups of several

hundred, roamed the streets of

One killed by stray bullet

Thousands rejoice as Benazir marries Zardari

KARACHI, Dec 18, (Agencies): At least 100,000 Pakistanis turned out to congratulate Benazir Bhutto on her wedding today at a giant party of fireworks, music and political slogans.

The 34-year-old opposition leader and her new husband Asif Zardari drove straight from the elegance of a society reception to a popular gathering in Lyari, one of Karachi's poorest areas.

Wearing a white and gold wedding dress, she hailed the cheering crowds as rockets burst, photographers swarmed and party faithful waved flags and chanted their support.

A woman watching preparations for the party from her balcony was killed by a stray bullet, apparently when a celebrating Benazir supporter sent a burst of semi-automatic fire into the air, doctors said.

Another eight people attending the public reception suffered minor injuries in the crush of thousands of jubilant Pakistanis attempting to swarm the park grounds, they said.

Gathered

Several hundred People's Party supporters gathered outside with portraits of the tall, attractive politician and her executed father, former Prime Minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto.

Chanting slogans and waving the tricolour party flags they came in trucks, cars, and donkeycarts, on bicycles and motorscooters from all over Pakistan

A spokesman at the Bhutto household said the marriage ceremony involved an exchange of legal documents spelling out the responsibilities of husband and wife.

Benuzirearlier in the day told a news conference at her residence that despite the marriage, her priority remained the ouster of President Mohammad Zia-ul-

Simple

But the 34-year-old Oxfordeducated opposition leader said her new husband wanted a large family and she would make a "political calculation" of when to have children based on her campaign to remove Zia and possibly run for prime minister in the next election.

The match was arranged by the two families in the traditional manner, but Benazir said she had deliberately departed from tradition to keep the wedding simple.

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Egypt studies Kuwait's defence needs study and lay down a joint prac-tical vision of what should be

undertaken to prop up Kuwait's

Speaking on Kuwaiti-Egyp-

national security."

CAIRO, Dec 18, (Agencies): Egyptian Defence Minister Abdel Halim Abu Ghazala returned home yesterday after a four-day visit to Kuwait which he said was aimed at appraising Kuwait's security needs in the face of Iranian threats.

Egypt's state-run Middle East News Agency quoted him as saying on arrival in Cairo that his visit was "successful by all standards." In an interview with a Kuwaiti

newspaper published on Thurs-

day. Abu Ghazala said the aim of

his visit was "to conduct a field

tian military cooperation, Abu Ghazala said "It is not limited", and Egypt will immediately res-Kuwait.

pond to any military demand by In departure statements, Abu Ghazala denied reports that a joint Egyptian-Jordanian military command has been set up to defend Gulf states against.

Iranian aggression and expres-

sed concern over a recent US-

Israeli agreement to increase armament of Israel.

We always see that there is a substantial arms race in our region that leads to major collisions. As minister of defence, I am concerned over any military growth surrounding Egypt, he told reporters.

Terming as "untruc" the report by the state-run newspaper Al Ittihad of Abu Dhabi on the joint command with Jordan, Abu Ghazala said "we did not discuss this. When such an agreement is reached, it will be made public by Egypt."

Ugandan diplomats ordered to leave

Kenya closes Libyan embassy

NAIROBI, Dec 18, (Reuter): Kenyan President Daniel Arap Moi accused Uganda today of preparing for war and his foreign minister ordered Uganda's top two diplomats to leave the country and closed the Libyan

Ugandan and Kenyan forces traded shots across the border for three days this week and the Nairobi press has alleged that Libya was helping Uganda in the

Foreign Minister Zachary Onyonka said Libya had grossly interfered in Kenya's internal affairs and Ugandan High Commissioner Charles Katungi had insulted President Daniel Arap Moi by accusing him of lying in a statement about the fighting. Katungi and his deputy, Sam-

son Bigombe, were given 24 hours to leave Kenya and the Libyan embassy, already depleted by the expulsion of six diplomats this year, must close immediately, Onyonka said.

Action

A Western diplomat said the action against Libya amounted to all intents and purposes to a break in relations.

In a speech today President Moi accused Uganda of preparing for war by digging trenches

along the border. "We have restrained ourselves up to now, but for how long are we going to restrain ourselves. Around Malaba and Busia (two border posts) they have dug trenches ... when you dig trenches you are preparing for war," he

Moi did not refer to the expulsion in his speech in Njoro, central Kenya, but denied Kenya was harbouring Ugandan rebels,

The Kenyan-Ugandan border has been closed to vehicles since Kenyan police and the Ugandan government's National Resistance Army (NRA) began shooting at each other on Monday at Busia, a town of 40,000 people which straddles the border.

in Uganda's view a main cause of

People living near the border said the situation had been quiet but tense since the shooting stopped on Wednesday.

Each side has said the other provoked the conflict, in which least two NRA soldiers have died and three Kenyan policemen and several Kenyan civilians wounded.

Friday's expulsion orders were made in separate notes from Onyonka to Libyan Charge d'Affaires Ali Shaaban and

Incredible

The statement to Shaaban said, "since the embassy has not been performing the duties of enhancing relations between the two countries, the government of Kenya has decided that the embassy of Libya should

immediately be closed. The note to Katungi said the high commissioner had issued a press release on Wednesday including what it called an incredible insult on President

Day Bingo 76

Death toll in ten days of unrest rises to 17

Israelis kill 3 in renewed Gaza protests

TEL AVIV, Dec 18, (Agencies): Israeli troops shot dead three more Palestinian demonstrators today as widespread rioting again swept the occupied Gaza Strip, dashing government hopes that the unrest had subsided.

An Army spokeswoman said two protesters were shot dead in clashes with troops in Gaza's Shaja iye district and another was killed by Army gunfire in the Bureij refugee camp in the centre of the strip.

At least six people were wounded, she said. The killings brought the death

toll in 10 days of unrest in the West Bank and Gaza Strip to at Siogans

"The clashes began when the people came out of the mosques from Friday prayers, carrying Palestinian flags and chanting slogans, and confronted sol-

Omani gifts

officials said.

stolen from UN

UNITED NATIONS, Dec 18

(AP): Thieves made off with priceless gold and silver treasures

from a lounge that Oman furni-shed at UN headquarters,

More than 24 hours passed before UN officials had finger-

prints lifted from the pedestals

where a pair of perfume bottles

encased in solid gold and an antique silver urn had been dis-

played along with other treasures

Theft

comment publicly on the theft

disclosed yesterday. But they were said to be saddened and dis-

tressed at the loss of the gifts that

their oil-rich sultanate gave the

UN Security officials said the

United Nations last year.

Omani officials would not

from the Middle East.

diers," an eyewitness said. The Palestine Press Service, said the worst fighting broke out in Shaia'ive after soldiers fired tear gas into a mosque.

Israeli leaders have responded defiantly to world condemnation of the use of live ammunition against demonstrators armed with stones, metal debris and sometimes petrol bombs. The Army says about 70 Pales-

gunfire in the latest wave of violence and more than 200 ioters are under arrest. Palestinian organisations have claimed a higher death toll and Gaza lawyers say between

tinians have been wounded by

been arrested in the Gaza Strip alone since the unrest began.
One witness said demonstrators today attacked the Israeli military headquarters in

Gaza city and fought a pitched

350 and 400 demonstrators have

battle with troops at the city's main hospital.

"I say a crowd of marchers from the beach refugee camp throw stones and Molotov cocktails at the military headquarters and the soldiers fired tear gas,"
Gaza lawyer Raji Sourani said.
"The people have barricaded
the entrances to Shifa Hospital.

There are very large number of troops in the streets and military spotter planes are circling overhead," he said. There were also clashes in

Jerusalem, where border police fired tear gas at Palestinians who pelted them with stones in a demonstration after Friday prayers at the Al-Aqsa mosque, Islam's third holiest site, on the Biblical Temple Mount.

Security forces set up roadblocks to stop residents of the occupied West Bank from entering Jerusalem for prayers.

massed in the old city to prevent demonstrators from marching on an apartment in the Muslim

A petrol bomb was thrown overnight at the British consulate in Arab East Jerusalem following a similar attack on the US consulate there last Sunday.

Palestinian sources in the Gaza Strip also reported clashes between troops and demonstrators leaving mosques in the Bureij and Jabalya refugee camps and in Rafah, on the Egyptian border.

"The people were carrying Palestinian flags and chanting 'Allah-u-Akbar (God is Great)," witness said.

The Army declared the area around Shifa Hospital a closed military area and ordered out

journalists.
The Israeli Foreign Ministry has set up a crisis team to counter international criticism and adverse publicity surrounding Israel's policy in the occupied quarter occupied this week by Israel's controversial right-wing Trade Minister Ariel Sharon. territories.

The team decided to send a message of explanation to Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak and set up special units in Israeli embassies overseas to deal with

the international outcry.

Egypt again condemned Israel's use of force today and said Israeli actions could destroy Middle East peace efforts.

The United States, has joined the world condemnation of the deaths and injuries in the West Bank and GazaStrip

Amnesty International yesterday "urgently" called on Israel to investigate the killings of Palestinians in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip.

Successor offers economic reform

Czech leader Husak quits

VIENNA, Dec 18, (Reuter): Veteran Czechoslovak leader Gustav Husak stepped down as Communist Party chief yester-day and his successor Milos Jakes promptly pledged economic reform and more democracy similar to that in the Soviet Union.

Husak's retirement was announced at a meeting of the party's central committee yester-day. He was first of a group of ageing protegees of late Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev to leave the East European stage. Western diplomats pondered

whether his decline would trigger a domino effect on other East Bloc leaders of the same generation — especially Hungary's Janos Kadar, 75, and East Germany's Erich Honecker 75.

Control

The diplomats said it was the first time a Communist Party leader had relinquished control while retaining a senior place in

Husak, 74, will keep his largely ceremonial role as Czechoslovak President and retain his seat on the 11-man ruling party Presidium, the top policy-mak-

He was replaced by Milos Jakes, 65, the central committee secretary. Jakes supervised the purge of the party following the 1968 Soviet-led invasion of Czechoslovakia which crushed the "Prague spring" liberalisation era of Alexander Dubcek.

Western diplomats said that in recent months, Jakes had been cautiously moving towards a type of economic reform along the lines of Soviet party leader



Mikhail Gorbachev, which Husak had appeared reluctant to follow.

One diplomat in Warsaw said he believed the Soviet Union had been pressing for the older East European leaders to leave the scene since Gorbachev came to

"It's been clear from the beginning that Gorbachev regards them as belonging to a quite different political era and as people with whom he is not quite comfortable," the diplomat said.

"My conclusion is that the new Soviet leadership decided how to manage all this some time ago and the process of change has been set in hand." - A diplomat in Sofia said it was

quite justified to speculate about a domino effect, adding: "It had to start somewhere. How far it will go, we don't know."

Forced

In January 1968, Czechoslovak party leader Antonin Novotny was forced to quit after two stormy central committee meetings and was succeded by Dubcek. He retained the presidency for

just under two months but was forced to retire, the first communist statesman brought down by popular pressure.

In his first speech as party leader, Jakes told the committee, discussing new moves to boost Czechoslovakia's flagging economy: "Just as Soviet comunists, we too must observe the principle that more democracy means more socialism."

But he warned that economic reforms did not mean more leeway for dissidents, saying: "Everything that is alien to socialism must be criticised"

Yourcenar dies after stroke

BAR HARBOUR, Maine, Dec 18, (Reuter): Historical novelist Marguerite Yourcenar, the first woman elected to France's leading literary academy the Academie Française, died in a US hospital last night of complications following a massive stroke, a hospital spokeswoman

Yourcenar, who was 84, died late last night according to E.J. Murley, night supervisor at Mount Desert Island Hospital in Maine, where the novelist has been hospitalised since her stroke six weeks ago.

"She died in her sleep, very peacefully." Murley said.
Yourcenar had lived in America for the past 40 years and had taken out US nationality. She was a long-time resident of North East Harbour, a small summer resort community of about 1,000 residents on Mount

Maine. "She was well known in the community. People liked having acelebrity around," Murley said.

Desert Island on the coast of

A classicist whose best-known work was the novel "Memoires d'Adrien" (the fictionalised memoirs of the Roman emperor Hadrian) published in 1951.

In 1980 she was elected to the 40-member Academie Francaise. She had always regarded the academy with contempt and when the 352-year-old institution reversed tradition and opened its doors to a woman, she said she was only accepting out

Tanker carrying Kuwaiti oil hit

(Continued from Page 1) which caused injuries or casmaties, took to eight the number of

Iranian attacks on shipping since The Maltese-flagged Free Enterprise took no casualties in

the Iraqi attack. Lloyds first reported that Iraqi warplanes had fired missiles at the Enterprise. A spokesman for its operators in London, World Carrier Management, denied it had come under attack and said it only ran aground. But other shipping officials said they believed it had been fired at and also was hit.

Engaged

A spokesman for the Iranian armed forces said yesterday the United States had engaged in "electronic warfare" --- jamming Iranian radar in order to protect Iraqi warplanes during attacks on tankers in Iranian service on Tuesday night and Wednesday

"This move by America is tantamount to that country's participation in the Iraqi war with Iran and as such it amounts to support for the Iraqi regime," the

spokesman said.
Lloyds confirmed yesterday that Iraqi warplanes attacked the 289 776-ton Iranian supertank-

ers Taftan in the northern Gulf on Wednesday morning. Terrorising

On Thursday, Iranian speed-

boats darting from Abu Musa twice attacked a sulphur-laden Maldives freighter, setting it ablaze in the first raid and terrorising the crew several hours later. The Iranians also shot at a salvage tugboat and a media

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helicopter in the second raid. A projectile fired by the Iranians in the first attack before dawn yesterday punched a hole in the hull of the 16,322-ton Island Transporter and started a

fire, witnesses said. Violence erupts after Roh victory

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and foreign media for not declar-ing the election a fraud. A similar occupation last June was itself focal point of massive antigovernment protests that forced the direct election

Unable

Sporadic protests erupted for a second day in major cities across the country, but a wounded and divided opposition seemed unable to mount a concerted national effort to force nullification of Wednesday's ballotting, which Roh won by nearly two million votes.

Opposition candidates Kim Dae Jung and Kim Young-Sam failed to appear at a meeting with dissident leaders to discuss future strategy and there were calls from some opposition supporters for the Kims to retire from politics.

Charges

With final results tabulated, Roh won with 8.2 million votes. The combined total of the opposition vote was 12.4 million, leading to charges from opposition supporters that failure of the Kims to field a single candidate doomed chances of victory.

Thousands rejoice as Benazir ...

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She had insisted that the groom's family should provide her with only two dresses, instead of up to 51 as is common in Pakistan. She had cut down on her jewellery and insisted that her family paid no dowry, another almost universal custom.
Within the rituals of the

marriage we have tried to sim-plify it, both from the point of view of time and expense," she said. "We have tried to make a personal statement that I hope will help both brides and families in Pakistan."

There was some bad feeling among the local press when onlyjournalists from Western coun-tries were admitted to the pre-wedding news conference. Even Pakistanis employed by foreign

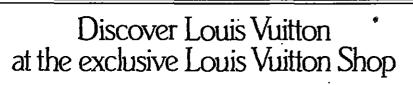
organisations were kept out. Benazir rejected a suggestion from a journalist that she had given herself away by having an arranged marriage. Zardan had treated her very well and she had great respect for him, she said.

I was always told by my elders what comes after a

marriage. What I have found for myself is that in an arranged marriage there is a mental comnilment. Resplendent in a white

embroidered gown, her hands and feet bore patterns of henna from a traditional women only ceremony the night before-



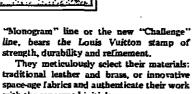




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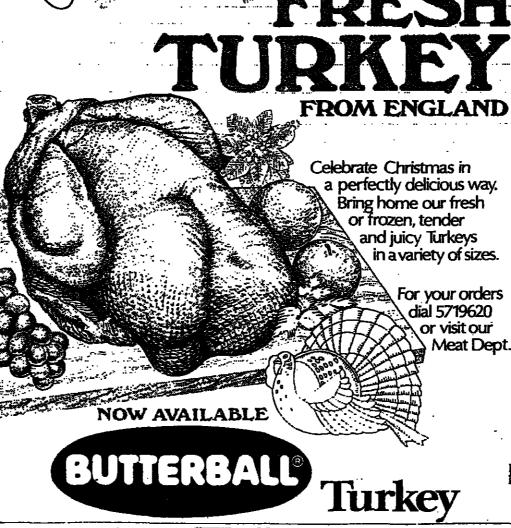




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DHAKA, Dec 18, (Reuter): Bandadeshi President Hossain Mohammad Ershad met with senior officials on Thursday to discuss economic problems caused by more than a month of opposition protests against his ule, government sources said.

They said Ershad asked government officials to work harder to find solutions caused by 13 days of nationwide general strikes during an anti-government campaign which began on Nov 10.
They gave no details.

Economists have warned that the opposition-led strikes to force Ershad's resignation would further damage Bangladesh's already fragile economy.

Opposition leaders said they

planned new strikes next week. Officials said previous strikes had cost Bangladesh more than \$700 million in lost production

"This is almost a death blow for a country with annual exports worth only \$1 billion," an economist said.

Concessions

"Ershad's ego is melting down gradually which reflects the initial victory of our movement. But no concessions other than his resignation will be enough to persuade the opposition to take part in future elections" the secretarygeneral of the Awami League party, Sajeda Chowdhury, told party workers.

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The opposition eight-party alliance led by Awami League leader Sheikh Hasina said in a statement on Thursday: "We strongly reiterate our demands that Ershad must quit and transfer power to an independent caretaker government for ensur-ing honest balloting in the future

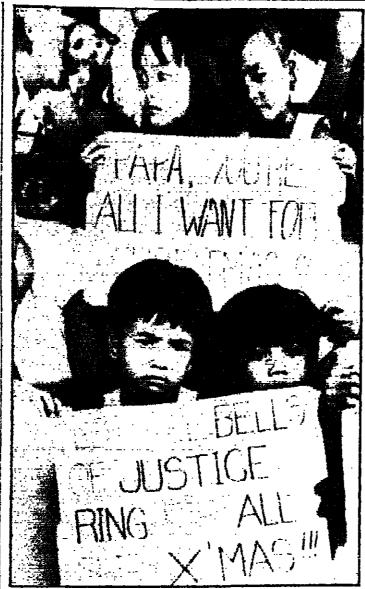
The opposition charged that Ershad rigged parliamentary and presidential polls in 1986 to ensure victory for himself and his Jatiya Party.

Informed sources believed the concessions would lure opposition leaders, including Hasina and Begum Khaleda Zia, to talks on plans for fresh elections.

Oldest Bangladeshi burned to death

DHAKA, Dec 18, (Reuter): Niljan Bibi, Bangladesh's oldest citizen at 120, was burned to death by unidentified attackers who set fire to her home, police said today.

They said the attack on Tuesday night might have been related to a land dispute between Bibi's son and other villagers in Char Kutub near Dhaka.



About 100 children of detained rebel soldiers picket outside the suburban constabulary headquarters demanding release of their lathers. (Reuter radiophoto)

Aquino sacks coup leader, 13 others

MANILA, Dec 18, (Reuter): President Corazon Aquino ordered the Army today to discharge Colonel Gregorio Honasan and 13 other officers who led a coup attempt that nearly toppled her government four months ago.

Honasan, leader of the Aug 28 coup bid, and a lieutenant were captured on Dec 9 in a house in a Manila suburb. The other 12 are Asked by reporters if she

would consider granting Honasan an amnesty, Aquino said: "He has to face trial." Many of about 2,000 rebel

officers and soldiers were captured after bitter street fighting during the one-day coup attempt in which 53 people were killed and more than 300 wounded. Ten officers and three ser-

geants surrendered weeks later and 100 soldiers are still on the run, military headquarters said. Honasan, who has been detained on a naval ship

anchored in Manila Bay, told a Senate committee on Thursday the coup attempt was "a spontaneous collective decision." Meanwhile, troops battled

communist guerrillas at a rebel training camp north of Manila Dozens of soldiers stationed in

Manila were desputched to help government troops in Zambales province, a military spokesman told reporters. In the capital, the army

announced it had uncovered a rebel plan to mount a fresh wave of attacks shortly after Christmas, the Manila Journal report Cosselire feelers, put out by the communist-led National

Democratic Front, were rejected earlier this week by armed forces chief General Fidel Ramos.

Earlier, the soldiers on Thursday recovered 10 bodies from a wrecked Philippines Airlines plane that crashed four days ago on Mindanao island.

'Arms supply to Afghan rebels must stop'

No war during Soviet pullout

ISLAMABAD. Dec 18. (Renter): Soviet troops will halt all military operations from the first day of a phased withdrawal from Afghanistan, Soviet ambassador to Pakistan Abdurrehman Vezirov said on

He said in a lecture the Kremlin had offered to pull out in 12 months or even less, but Western arms supplies to rebel guerrillas must halt completely from the start of that period.

"From that moment, that date, the participation of the Soviet forces in military activities or operations will cease completely," he said.

The period of a Soviet withdrawal has been the main point in indirect negotiations between Pakistan, through which the rebels are supplied, and the Kabui government.

Pakistan and the rebels' Western supporters have expressed fears that too long a gap after the guerrillas' arms supplies were stopped would enable Soviet forces to crush the rebels. Pakistan has proposed eight months, compared to Kabul's 12.

Future Vezirov, speaking to an audience of diplomats, academics and journalists, said all the Afghan forces involved in the nine-year-old conflict must thrash out their country's future

together. But he complained that only the Kabul side had made any proposals and called on the rebels to come forward with

some concrete suggestions.

"Apart from Najibullah, who else in Afghanistan has put for-ward a programme?" he said. "They (the rebels) just deny and



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reject everything which is said from Kabul."

Meanwhile, a powerful bomb exploded Thursday in a crowded shopping area in the Western Afghanistancity of Herat, killing one person and wounding eight, Radio Kabul reported.

The radio, monitored in Islamabad, blamed the Mujahideen for the blast. It said the homb went off when "our citizens were busy providing their needs for the day."

The radio said an "extremist opposition element" planted a large quantity of explosives of high intensity" in a shopping area in Herat. The phrase is a reference to the anti-communist guerrillas fighting the Sovietbacked government in Kabul.

Some Western diplomats in Pakistan, however, have linked past bomb explosions in Afghanistan to feuding within the ruling

People's Democratic Party. Apart from the casualties, the radio said several shops were destroyed or damaged in the explosion.

Thai baby smuggler arrested

BANGKOK, Dec 18, (Reuter): Police arrested a 69-year-old woman and charged her with killing a kidnapped baby by throwing it out of a window to get rid of evidence of an infant smuggling ring. Thai police said today. An officer said Puay Tongk-

orn dropped the child two storeys into a pond to "get rid of evidence" when police called at her house in southern Nakorn Srithammarat province to investigate kidnapping charges against her.

Nakorn Srithammarat police said by telephone the woman and six other suspects were arrested on Thursday on charges of kid-

napping and murder. Police said Puay and other gang members confessed to have kidnapped at least three infants who were later smuggled into Malaysia and solid for about \$200 per child.

General Assembly approves resolution

UN asks US to keep PLO office open

UNITED NATIONS, Dec 18, (AP): The General Assembly has approved a resolution calling on the United States not to close the Palestine Liberation Organisation office in New York.

The measure passed by a vote of 145-1 last night, with Israel easting the only negative vote. The United States abstained,

The resolution urged the United States to abide by its treaty obligations under an agreement to host UN headquarters. It also calls on UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar to ensure compliance with the treaty.

According to the US State Department, the agreement says the United States must allow all UN missions to function. But Congress has moved to close the PLO mission, putting the State Department in what US Ambassador Vernon Walters called a potentially awkward position.

The department recently closed the PLO's only other US office, an information centre in Washington, But it opposes closing the mission to the United

Nations because of the treaty. Walters told reporters that legislation ordering the closure of the PLO mission has not become

Negotiations

"I think we can still discuss and negotiate with the Congress and talk it through," he said. "There are still some things we can do to try and find a way out

The United Nations regards the PLO as the only legitimate representative of the Palestinian people and has made it an official observer of the General Assembly and participant in UN con-

BEIRUT, Dec 18, (AP): Israeli

forces and their Lebanese militia

allies killed six Arab commandos

in South Lebanon on Thursday

during a pre-dawn battle in the foothills of Mount Hermon,

The families of kidnapped

French diplomats Marcel Fon-

taine and Marcel Carton pleaded

for their release from 1,000 days

of captivity in Lebanon, a Beirut

In West Beirut, a bomb

exploded under a jeep in the Haret Hreik district, 150 metres

away from a Syrian Army check-

Police said there were no

casualties among the Syrian

peacekeepers, but that two pas-

sersby were killed and two wour-

In East Beirut, right-wing Chr-

istian groups called for a general

strike to protest alleged mass arrests of Christian youths by

Mubarak

Washington

CAIRO, Dec 18, (Reuter): Egypt's President Hosni Mubarak will have talks with

President Ronald Reagan in

Washington late next month

during a long-delayed visit to

Cairo's main superpower ally,

United States in September 1985.

Government sources said he

Mubarak last visited

government sources said.

sales to Iran.

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newspaper reported.

police said.

Bomb kills two in W. Beirut

Hasan Rahman, a PLOspokesman, said closing his group's offices "pre-empts" any dialogue between the United States and the PLO and makes it impossible for Americans to get the PLO point of view.

Deflance

The American Civil Liberties Union has mounted a legal challenge to the closure of the PLO Washington office. The case is on appeal.

The PLO deputy observer Rivadh Mansour told Kuna that he hoped the US administration will abide by the wish of the international community.

The only negative vote of Israel, he added, is a reflection of its total isolation and its complete defiance of international norms and agreements.

Syrian forces in north Lebanon.

A police spokesman said

Israeli troops and their allies of the South Lebanon Army militia

The fighting began when guerrillas attacked a hilltop posi-

tion manned by the SLA and

lsraeli troops in an area west of

Hasbaya, a town in Israel's self-proclaimed "security zone," he

Beirut-based spokesman,

Howitzers and tank cannons" in

information on Israeli casualties.

confirmed that six commandos

were killed in a gunbattle in south

Lebanon early Thursday. He

said the Israelis suffered no

The battle came two days after

casualties.

pounded the attackers with

30-minute battle. He had no

in Jerusalem, the Israeli Army

The Israelis, according to the

Six die in battle with Israelis

killed the six guerrillas.
Attack

"If President Reagan is to sign this piece of legislation, which he might do at any moment, then the General Assembly will be reconvened to consider further measures so as to see the US comply with the provisions of the

agreement," Mansour warned. One of the possible requests from the reconvened session, he explained, would be to ask for an advisory opinion from the International Court of Justice.

Arab League envoy Clovis Maksoud said in a statement distributed here that the near-unanimous vote in the assembly "clearly shows how the whole world feels about the attempts to silence the PLO at the UN, to usurp its right to represent the Palestinian people at the foremost international forum and to violate US treaty obliga-tions to the world organisation."

Iranian-backed Hezbollah in a

confrontation north of the

Two women passengers were

killed and a baby and three peo-ple wounded when a pickup truck exploded 200 metres from

the home of a senior Shi'ite Muslim religious leader. Police did not know who was

responsible for the last night

blast, caused by a bomb in the

engine compartment. Sheikh Mohammed Mehdi

Shamseddine, deputy chairman

of Lebanon's Shi'ite Higher

Council, lives near the site in the

Haret Hreik area of Beirut's spr-

Police said they did not believe

the explosion was aimed at

Shamseddine. The six people in

the truck were a family returning

The male driver and the baby

were among the four people

home after visiting relatives.

awling Shiite suburbs.

security zone.

By their positive vote, Maksoud added, the 145 nations were also expressing their "outrage at the extent of Israeli influence on US policy, especially when these affect the rights of UN delegations.

Walters also gave a favourable

rating to this year's General Assembly session, expected to adjourn within a few days, and said there had been less anti-US invective.

"Basically, it was a good year ... and was accompanied by less venom, let us say, as far as my country is concerned, than was the case previously," he told a

news conference.

He ticked off what the United States regarded as favourable assembly votes on issues such as Afghanistan. Kampuchea and the credentials of the Israeli

Earthquake kills two in Japan

TOKYO, Dec 18, (Reuter): A strong earthquake jolted an extensive area of Japan on Thursday, killing at least two people and injuring 53 others, police

The earthquake, which registered 6.6 on the open-ended Richter scale, shook much of the

main island of Honshu Soon. Hardest-hit was Chiba prefecture, east of Tokyo, where police reported two people killed, 43 injured and nine buildings destroyed or damaged.

Police said a 32-year-old housewife was crushed to death under a huge ornamental stone lantern and a 29-year-old woman was buried under a block wall. Another housewife was injured seriously as the wall fell.

In Tokyo, eight people were injured, including two carpenters who fell from a building under construction, a man who fell from a forklift truck and two elderly women who fell at home.

The tremor, one of the strongest to hit Japan this year, destroyed or damaged 16 buildings throughout Japan and triggered three landslides, police said.

Indonesia Meanwhile, a similar earthquake jolted Indonesia's tourist island of Bali today injuring 20 people but causing no serious

damage, the weather office said. Supardjo, an official of the weather office, said the quake measured 5.8 on the open-ended Richter scale. He said it hit early the Indian Ocean, about (200 km south of the Bali capital of Denpasar.

Supardio also said about 20 people suffered slight injuries during the quake. In Taiwan, an earthquake

measuring 5.9 on the Richter scale shook the southern part of the island today but there were no immediate reports of damage or casualties, the central weather bureau reported.

The Bureau said the quake was recorded shortly before 2 p.m. (0600 GMT) and its epicentre was 11 miles (17 kms) southeast of Chiayi, a mountainous county 120 miles (195 km) south of

Pakistani convicted of plot to export **N-metals**

PHILADELPHIA, Dec 18, (AP): A Pakistani-born Canadian was convicted Thursday of conspiring to export to Pakistan two restricted meta-Is used in nuclear weapons.

But the jury of seven men and five women acquitted the defendant, Arshad Pervez, of bribing a US customs agent to get an export licence for the restricted metals.

Pervez, 43, a resident of the Toronto suburb of Willowdale, faces a maximum prison term of 25 years, less than half the maximum he faced on conviction of the three bribery counts. US district judge James Giles set sentencing for Feb 10.

One juror, who preferred to remain anonymous, said the panel decided Pervez had been entrapped into paying the \$1,000 bribe.

Jeffrey Miller, the attorney who represented Pervez, said he had mixed feelings about the verdict but was pleased with the bribery acquittal.

Pervez was convicted of conspiracy to file false documents to get an export licence to ship Maraging 350 steel to Pakistan, for filing three false documents and for attempting to export Beryllium.

Maraging 350 steel is a strategic steel alloy needed to produce weapons-grade uranium. Beryllium is a metal used to boost the intensity of nuclear explosions.

On the phony licence, issued for the investigation by the customs official, Pervez said the metal would be used for turbines and compressors.

Pervez, who operated an importexport business, was charged with conspiring with Inam ul Haq, a retired Pakistani brigadier general, to export the restricted metals from October 1986 to July 10, when Pervez was arrested.

Israeli and SLA militiamen wounded two fighters of the gravely injured in the blast, they Six hurt in Colombo as police search for bombs

COLOMBO, Dec 18, (Reuter): At least six people were injured today as Sri Lankan police used today as Sri Lankan police used teargas to disperse 3,000 students protesting at an Army search members are mainly from the that uncovered bombs on the state of thinks with the reoupled to thinks with the reoupled to the support of the support

arrested after 2,000 soldiers and Colombo.

shelved plans to go there last February because he was angry after sitting in a road outside the over the disclosure of US arms campus after security forces stopped them entering He said the US had lost

credibility among Arab states which, like Egypt, support Iraq against Iran in the Gulf war. Diplomats said Mubarak's scheduled Washington visit, for

which dates were still being fixed, showed close ties between the US and Egypt — the second biggest recipient of American military and economic aid after Israel had recovered from the Irangate students in detention.

Police have arrested students suspected of links with the Peo-

community.

Police said 45 students were

police commandos ound several small bombs in a dormitory at Kelaniya University just outside The students, on their last day of examinations, were dispersed

Police found five kg of gunpowder and knives and iron rods on Tuesday at Jayewardenepura University, which closed last

Friday after teachers were threatened by students demanding the release of arrested colleagues. About 3,000 placard-waving students from six universities

demonstrated on Thursday at Colombo University for the

Peace pact The JVP opposes a July peace pact aimed at ending a four-year separatist war waged by Tamil ernilas dy giving autonomy to Tamil areas in the north and east

> The JVP also wants 35,000 Indian troops policing the pact, which some guerrillas have ignored, to leave the country. Unrest over the detentions

broke out earlier this week at three other of Sri Lanka's eight universities. Only two universities, in Jaffna in the north and Batticaloa in the east, have been unaffected. Military sources said four

Indian soldiers were killed and one was wounded today when a landmine planted by Tamil rebels blew up a vehicle at Killin-

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episode. Bhopal judge asks Carbide to pay \$270m relief

BHOPAL, Dec 18, (Reuter): An Indian judge told Union Carbide Corporation on Thursday to pay \$270 million to Bhopal poison gas leak victims while he decides who to blame for the world's worst industrial disaster.

The US multinational said the ruling for interim compensation amounted to awarding damages without a trial.

The Indian government is suing the company for \$3.3 billion damages over the Dec 3, 1984 leak of gas from a pesticides plant in this central Indian city which killed more than 2,500 people and injured 200,000 oth-

Victims and relief workers demonstrating outside the cour-thouse cheered after Judge M W Deo told Union Carbide to pay the money to the court within two months.

Outcome Union Carbide reacted swiftly to the ruling which it said "amounts to awarding damages without a trial, a practice that runs counter to the laws of India

and other democracies." "Although we are deeply concerned for the victims, interim compensation has never been allowed where the evidence in respect to the liability is in dispute," Robert Berzok, director of corporate communications, said in a statement in New York.

Judge Deo, in a 17-page order, said the ruling would not prejudice the outcome. Being interlocutory in nature, this order shall naturally be without prejudice to the rights and defences of the parties to the suit and the counter-claim that may be finally adjudicated," Deo

He said the money would be used for health care and creating jobs for the more than half a million people who have filed claims for damages.

"Attempts at an overall settlement appear to have bogged down in the din of diverse loud voices, leaving the poor gas victims pathetically past even the third anniversary of the unprecedented disaster to fight out legal battles," the judge said.

For that reason the court thought it "in the interest of justice and fair play" to hear the interim relief application.

The Indian government had earlier rejected Union Carbide's offer of \$1.5 million interim relief, and talks between the two on an out-of-court settlement broke down last month.

India filed homicide charges on Dec 1 against the company's former Warren Anderson and eight other former officials. Carbide, based in Danbury.

Connecticut, maintains sabotage by a disgruntled employee caused the disaster at the pesticides plant owned by its subsidiary Union Carbide India. India has ruled out sabotage.

Dates sent to non-existing company

TEN trailer truckloads of dates remained unloaded after two weeks at the Sulaibiya customs area because the company that was supposed to receive their cargo and pay their wages does not exist.

The drivers said that the dates are supposed to be shipped to Dubai through Kuwaiti ports and that the Swiss Shipping Company, who had employed owed them about KD6,000. They added that some of the drivers had only one week residence visas and that they were unable to stay in hotels while they were here because hotels are not allowed to register anyone without a residence per-

The drivers requested that they be allowed to unload the dates at the General Warehouses Company storage area or be allowed to sell the dates to compensate for their lost wages and

No learner's driving licence for another year

BRIGADIER Fuad Musaed Al Saleh, the Director General of Kuwait's General Traffic Department and chairman of the driver's training board of directors, said that no official date had yet been set for issuing learning drivers application forms, but that it would definitely not be until the end of next year because of the extensive preparation needed and administrative arrangements required.

He added that application forms would be distributed only to those badly in need of being able to drive.

Arrested

DETECTIVES have arrested two Pakistanis on a charge of possessing hashish.

The men have been referred to the relevant authorities.

Arab League committee proposes closer scrutiny of information staff

The final session of the Arab information committee meeting

mittee suggested on Thursday closer scrutiny of the profes-sional qualifications of candidates to head the League's information bureaux abroad as a means of boosting the energy and effectiveness of Arab information on the international scene.

The committee, concluding three days of talks on ways of activating the Arab League's international information programmes, also recommended that Arab states should announce candidates with strong information background, knowledge of the Arab and international media and good command of at least one foreign language before any final appointments are made.

The panel blamed the shortcoming in the works of information offices on the drop in financial resources as a result of some Arab countries failing to settle their commitments to the Alab information fund.

Coordination

The committee pointed out that dispatches from information bureaux to the league headquarters are quality disparate, often void of accurate analysis and tend to describe only local press coverage and neglect other media, particularly television and radio

They proposed that bureau reports should be more analytic, serving as a barometer of lcoal reaction to Arab events. The committee said other

KUWAIT'S Education Minister

Anwar Al Nouri and the accom-

panying delegation on Thursday

lest for Tunis to take part in the

meetings of the ninth session for

the Arab League Educational, Cultural and Scientific Organ-

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ference which start its delibera-

Al Nouri off to Tunis

communities. **Publicity** It added tha the information

means of energising information missions ranged from closed coordination with Arab friendship societies, chambers of commerce and other Arab institutions in the host country, to employing help of the local Arab

bureaux should consult with the council of Arab ambassadors to lay an annual information plan that would have to obtain the approval of the standing committee of Arab information.

The executive council of the

organisation went into session

Al Nouri was seen off by

education acting undersecretary Abdul Mohsin Nasser Al Saeed

and the administrative and fin-

ancial affairs assistant under-

earlier this week.

The publicity work of the bureaux should not be confined to capital cities, and attention must also be given to big cities of political and informational influence, the conferees went on.

The panel expressed belief that Arab friendship societies could play a key role in defending Arab rights and causes. Addressing the concluding

session, Kuwait Information Under-secretary, Abdulaziz Jaafar expressed satisfaction at the outcome of the deliberations and pointed out that the Arab

New embassy

officials here said today.

COLOMBO, Dec 18, (Kuna): A

new Sri Lankan embassy is to be

declared open shortly in Muscat,

Sri Lankan Foreign Minister

Shahul Hameed left Sri Lanka

Thursday on an official visit to

Oman to declare open the new Sri

nation was going through a new chapter in common Arab work following the successful conclusion of the Amman Arab summit of last month.

Jaafar noted that the current Palestinian uprising in the West Bank and Gaza Strip is indicative of this new Arab struggle and collective work.

Also speaking, head of the standing Arab information com-mittee, Salah Al Mukhtar, thanked the Kuwait leadership and government for hosting the com-

Concern over increase in water level

AN official source at Kuwait's Ministry of Electricity and Water said that a recent increase in the water level at the power generation plants was a source of concern to the ministry. He said that an immediate investigation is required to determine the reason for the increase and added that this was another problem similar to the leakage of underground water in basements. He said that the underground water leakage had affected even the new Palace of Justice building and that the ministry and Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research had studied the problem and had made recommendations which are to be carried out.

Social security lacks funds

THE chairman of the Social Security Committee, Rashed Al Abdullah Al Othman said that the committee is unable to fulfil its obligations because of inadequate finances and a low annual membership fee.

He added that the number of redundancies and the suspension of employment contributed to the poor financial condition of the social security scheme.

The committee held a meeting earlier, chaired by Al Othman, to discuss the Municipality and Kuwait Fire Department employees' social security. Ways of solving the financial problems of the system were also discussed.

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Amiri cable

HH the Amir has sent a cable of congratulation to King of Bhulan Jigme Singye Wangchuckon the occasion of his country's National

KUWAIT PRESS DIGEST

Iran's future intentions

KUWAITI daily Al Rai Al Aam tried to cast light on Iranian future intentions toward the Gulf war by analysing three indicators of

Iran's military and political acts within the last few days. The Kuwatti newspaper noted the first indicator is Iran's escalation of its attacks against tankers and merchant ships in the Gulf, and the second is the increasing threats by Ratsanjani against the Gulf countries in general and Kuwait in particular.

in completion of its game, the paper said, Iran circulated a number of reports related to Khomeini's health which represented the third indicator of Tehran's political behaviour.

These three indicators are in fact an open message that confirms Iran's insistence on continuing its aggressive policy toward the Gulf countries and their interests, the paper said, and singled out Rafsanjani's threats to attack the oil and industrial positions along the Gulf's western coast.

Tehran, the paper noted, invested the reports on Khomeini's health either to create a state of relaxation in the Gulf countries and in trag in particular, or to pove the way for a military attack.

Iranian leaders will continue leading their peoples to the war interno so long as they reject to heed the voice of reason and respond to peace calls.

Dali condemns Iranian attacks against Kuwait

Foreign Minister, Dr Abdel Aziz Al Dali on Thursday condemned Iranian attacks against Kuwait, affirming his country's support for Kuwait in protecting its soil and independence against any foreign aggression.

Al Dali said, in an interview with a Kuwaiti newspaper, "we are against any attack on Kuwait and we have declared that we back Kuwait in defending its lands and independence against any external assault."

The Yemeni minister stressed that the foreign military presence in the Gulf waters creates tension and provides more chances for dangerous occurences, demanding the withdrawal of all foreign

fleets. On the Iraq-Iran war, Al Dali pointed out that his country hacks decisions reached by the

He said that Democratic Yemeni-Iranian ties "are not bad" and the same applies for

framework to put an end to the

hostilities in the region.

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Iraq, and "the same goes for our brothers in the Gulf." Al Dali denied that his country rejects the idea of a union with the Yemen Arab Republic, affirming, "there is no one capable of standing against a union which

people in both parts. He also denied that the presence of ex-Yemeni President Al Nasser Mohammed in Sanaa will affect efforts to unify the two

represents ambitions of Yemeni

As for the possibility of resuming full diplomatic relations with Cairo, the Yemeni official said that such a decision is up to the leaders of the two countries, noting that his country did not reject the Arab summit's resolution in

Kuwait rally in support of Palestinian uprising

A LARGE number of Palestinians and Arabsin Kuwait participated in a three hour sit-in at the PLO office in Kuwait to express their solidarity with the Palestinian revolution acts against the Zionists in occupied Arab territories.

A member of the Fateh Revolutionary Council Usman Abu Gharbiya, addressing the group, praised the Palestinians under Israeli occupation for their resistance to Zionists, adding that this re-awakening of Palestinians was evidence that the Palestinian people cannot be broken or defeated.

He said that the people in the Gaza Strip face Israeli tanks with stones and their bare hands and

Ships blacklisted

recently issued a release listing a number of blacklisted companies, vessels and films.

The release said that the Maltese ship 'Mont Fort' and the Costa Rican vessel 'Pandokrator' were blacklisted for calling on Israeli ports.

They are hitherto banned from anchoring at Kuwaiti ports, the release added. It pointed out that the partial

ban imposed on the Indian company Sagar exports has been extended to cover its sister Indian company Sagar S. Mehta for having dealings with Israel.

The boycott of the American Coca Cola Co. also covers its 21 subsidiaries in the UK, US, South Africa, India and Iran, the release noted.

It added that the following films, Lost Weekend, The Secret Life of Walter Mitty, Guys and Dolls, Come Blow your Horn and Black Eagle were banned for screening in Kuwait for connections with Israeli interests.

Somali minister ends UAE visit

ABU DHABI, Dec 18, (Kuna): Somali Minister of Information and National Guidance, Abdirashid Sheikh Ahmed today concludes his visit to the United Arab Emirates and will head to Kuwait on Saturday.

During the visit, the Somali minister conveyed a message to UAE President Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahayan from his Somali counterpart Mohammed Siad Barre on bilateral relations and means of boosting them.

He also held talks with UAE Information and Culture Minister Sheikh Ahmed Bin Hamed that covered relations between the two countries in the mass media fields and means of developing and strengthening them, particularly in exchanging programmes

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that this fight has united the Palestinian groups against Israeli actions. Abu Gharbiya added that this recent movement should be supported by Arab governments

He also called for an end to the Iraq-Iran war, which, he said, only benefitted the US and Struggle

The Advisor of the Arab League Secretary General Al Munsif Al Mai, speaking at the sit-in said that the Palestinian people had proven again that they were alive in their struggle and that the Palestinian issue is the main question of the Arab.

participants sent a cable to HH the Amir of Kuwait as Chairman of the Islamic Conference Council, to the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques King Fahd and to PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat calling on them to support Pales-tinians in the occupied lands.

Call to diversify agricultural production

DR Abdul Azeem Mohammed. the Economic Advisor of the Public Authority for Agriculture and Fish Resources in Kuwait, speaking at a lecture organised by the Agricultural Engineering Society said that Kuwait should diversify its local agricultural production and conserve water by using modern irrigation systems in agricultural projects.

Dr Abdul Azeem said that agriculture is a vital issue in modern societies and that depending on imported agricultural products is unsatisfactory. He added that people should invest in agricultural projects because of their importance to society and food security.

Amman summit held last month that UN resolution 598 is the this regard. Education programmes.....

suggested to curb vandalism A SYMPOSIUM, held from Dec 14 to 16, focused on means of curbing the misuse and vandalising of public property in Kuwait. The symposium stressed the need to take action against the destruction of public property because of the expense it represented to the government and recommended that the media take an active role in encouraging responsible behaviour of residents regarding responsible the use of public facilities

It was suggested that special educational programmes be, developed for use in the home and school. It was noted that values and attitudes toward public facilities are learned at home and that this was the most appropriate place to begin.

Symposium participants also recommended that imams direct their attention to this matter and

13 accidents

THERE were 13 traffic accidents in Kuwait yesterday.

Three accidents took place in the capital, one in Hawalli, eight in Ahmadi and one in Jahra.

teach the Islamic attitude at mosques toward public money

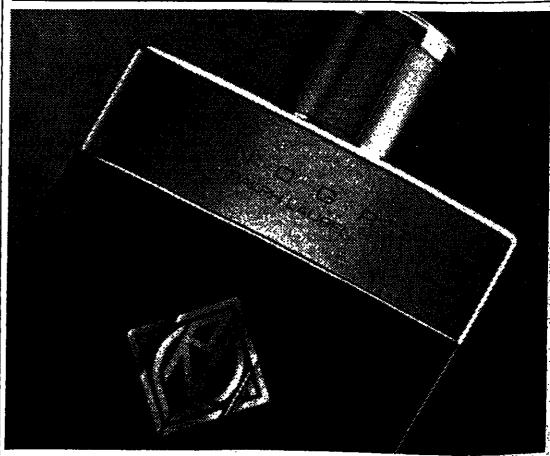
and property. The symposium, patronised by Kuwait's Interior Minister Sheikh Nawaf Al Ahmed, was attended by the Undersecretary Lt. General Yousef Bader Al Khorafi, top ministry officials, a

large number of government personnel and various scientific specialists. Saleh to visit

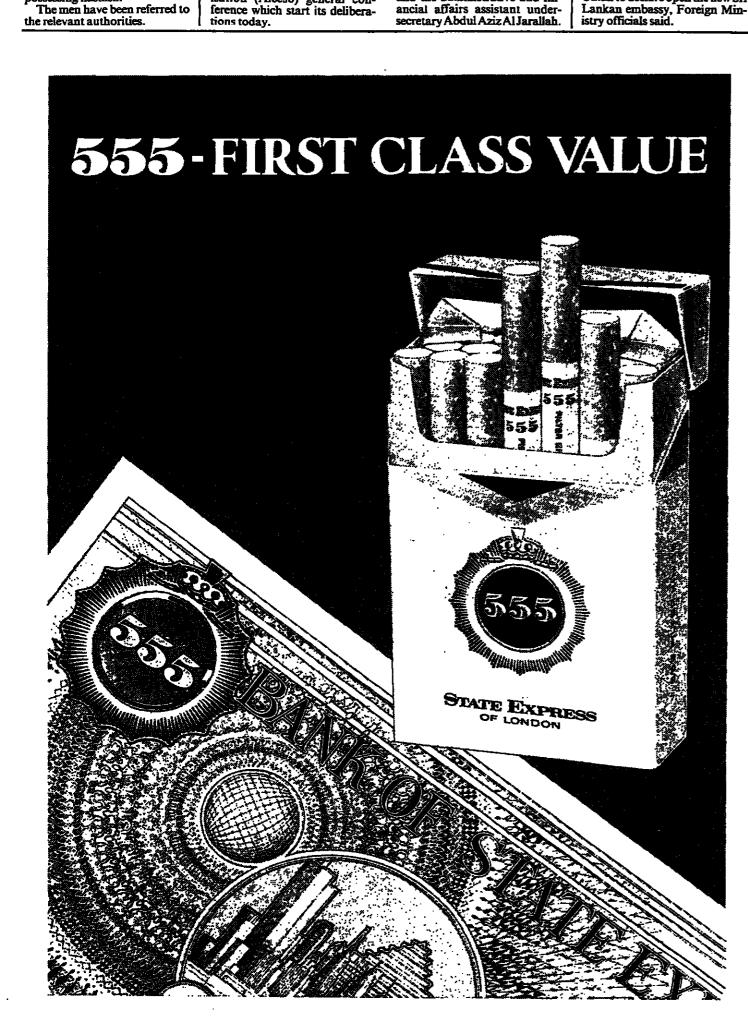
UAE ABU DHABI, Dec 18, (Kuna):

President of the Yemen Arab Republic, Ali Abdullah Saleh, will arrive here next Sunday on a three-day state visit to the United Arab Emirates at the invitation of UAE President Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahayan.

During the visit, Saleh will hold talks with Sheikh Zayed on brotherly relations between the two countries and means of developing them in various fields, the situation in the Gulf region, developments in the Arab area and issues of mutual



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Restrictions hinder tourism

By Abdul Karim Kazem

THE general director of the National Tourist and Travel Centre, Salam Ahmad, said that the tourist industry had become one of the vital industries in the

He added that governments relied a great deal on tourism to develop their economy and always sought ways to free tourism of restrictions, which hinders the industry.

He told the Seyassah newspaper that freedom for motorists to travel was important to tourism. He said that trip-tickets for cars were like passports and were necessary to enable cars to move from one country to another.

Fog shuts airports

BAHRAIN, Dec 18, (Reuter): Thick fog covered the western coast of the Gulf overnight bringing Dhahran airport in eastern Saudi Arabia to a standstill today and briefly disrupting flights at Abu Dhabi and

Bahrain terminals.
"The airport is closed," an official at Dhahran airport said but refused to give more details.

Bahrain international airport was shut from 0300 to 0600 GMT and at least two flights were diverted to Doba airport in nearby Qatar, officials said. British Airways flight BA-145

from London to Bombay via

Bahrain was diverted to Doha.

agents in different Arab countries for Arab countries.

Egypt was the first to realise the significance of these car clubs, and an Arab Car Club was established but had to close down due to competition from the foreign clubs.

Formerly foreign countries

issued such tickets through

Studies were then made on the matter and in 1982 the first Arab car club was formed with the nume: National Tourist and Travel Centre. It issues trip tickets and international driving

The administrative director, Mohammed Al Mouti, said the trip-tickets were for cars only and had no connection with the

passengers or goods carried by the cars.

The tickets were a temporary entry permit to a specific coun-

He said that drivers should comply with the traffic laws of the countries they visited and had to pay any customs duty.

He said that unified insurance could be obtained and purchasers would not have to pay for damages caused by accidents He said that temporary

Kuwaiti licences could be obtained by holders of international driving licences The Centre also arranged for

sending cars by sea. He said the Centre had a capital of over \$1,000,000.

Saudi Arabia denies report on joint force

RIYADH, Dec 18, (Kuna): A Saudi official military source has denied a press report that a Saudi military delegation had visited Cairo and held talks on offering \$100 million for a proposed

Egyptian-Jordanian force. The report was carried by the Lebanese Al Sayyad magazine which said that a three-man Saudi delegation had held talks with Egyptian officials that concentrated on joining the defence ministers of the Gulf Cooperation Council in the board of the military production authority.

The magazine also claimed

that the Saudi delegation had expressed Riyadh's readiness to extend \$100 million for buying sophisticated military equip-ment for the Egyptian-Jordanian

The source said however, no wonder that the Saudi kingdom resumes its cooperation with Egypt in military, cultural, industrial and agricultural fields in service of the mutual interests of the two countries, but the source denied that a Saudi delegation had visited Cairo and that talks on subjects referred to by the magazine had taken place.

Mellor lauds strong

UK-Saudi relations

gdom and Britain.

he added.

in London last night, Mellor said

his visit to the kingdom would

provide him with the opportun-

ity to discuss with the Saudi

officials the Iraq-Iran war and

the efforts being exerted by the

UN to end it in the light of resolu-

Efforts should be exerted to

Mellor further deplored the

Contacts are under way bet-

ween Britain and Kuwait in this

Oman to open

ZANZIBAR, Dec 18, (Reuter):

Oman will soon open a consulate

in Zanzibar to enhance the res-

toration of its economic and cul-

tural ties with the autonomous

Official sources said a consul-

designate had already arrived in

Zanzibar, which was ruled by

Omani Arabs until 1890 when it

became a British protectorate.

consulate

East African island.

Iranian aggression on Kuwait.

prevent the escalation of the war.

connection, he added.

Meanwhile, Mellor expressed British Minister of State for Foreign and Commonwealth concern over the deteriorating situation in the occupied Arab Affairs, David Mellor has described the Kingdom of Saudi territories and in particular in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Arabia as Britain's most important trade partner after the

Stnp.
We do condemn the violence United States and Europe. Mellor, who arrives in Riyadh exercised by the Israeli authorities," he stressed, while calling for a peaceful solution to the today, highlighted the existing strong relations between the kinproblems of the region. Addressing a press conference

Mellor, underlining the importance of the international peace conference in the Middle East, said the conference would pave the way for ending the Arab-Israeli conflict.

Kennedy to visit Gulf

WASHINGTON, Dec 18, (AP): Senator Edward M. Kennedy will spend the Christmas holidays with US servicemen on duty in the Gulf, an aide said yes-

terday.
The Massachusetts Democrat is chairman of a Senate Armed Services Subcommittee that oversees responsibility for the US mission to protectfoil tankers

in the war-torn region. Kennedy will leave this weekend and deliver a speech on US-Israeli relations Monday in Tel Aviv. said spokeswoman Melody Miller.

Aides declined to give other details of the trip, but said he would be in the Gulf on Christmas day, Dec 25.

Security Council urged to take further measures to end war

UNITED NATIONS, Dec 18, (Kuna): The Arab League committee of seven on Iraq-Iran has urged the Security Council to assume its responsibilities and to take further measures to insure compliance with its call last July to end the Gulf war.

"It is time for the Security Council to consider seriously how to implement further measures' to ensure compliance with the resolution," Iraq's envoy Ismat Kittani told reporters following the committee's meeting with Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar on Wed-

The committee's members are Iraq, Kuwaii, Saudi Arabia, Jordan, Morocco, Tunisia and Yemen.

"We want the council to move to the second stage of considering what kind of sanctions everybody has in mind and feel that everyone's patience is coming to an end and something must be done at the council after the secretary-general reported to them last week," Kittani said.

Concerned secretary-general indicated recently his efforts to end the war diplomatically have failed, and he called for "fresh

and resolute impulses" by the council. Kittani said he was pleased

that "this business of 'let's give more time,' is coming to an end." Asked whether Iraq was concerned about the safety of shipping in the Gulf, Kittani said "as long as the war continues ships will be hit, and in order to avoid that you have to end the war, not the other way around."

Urgency In a related development, the committee met Tuesday with the council's current president, Aleksander Belonogov of the Soviet Union, and expressed to him "our need to expedite the process of implementing the council resolution. The committee's co-ordin-

ator, Arab League envoy Clovis Maksoud told Kuna following the meeting that Belonogov "shared with us the need and urgency of the implementation" and is now holding bilateral consultations on the subject in order to reconcile positions.

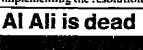
He said Belonogov promised the committee's members that "something will be done before

christmas. Diplomats here expect the council to issue a presidential statement next week in which its members will express their determination to insure the implementation of the resolution "as a fist step to future action."

As the Soviet envoy, Maksoud added, Belonogov hinted that his government might be against sanctions and considers the arms embargo, called for by the US "as one of the options" under discussion.

The committee also met Wednesday with the caucus of the

non-aligned countries in the council and urged them to unify and strengthen their position in order to speed up the process of implementing the resolution.





LONDON, Dec 18.(Kuna): The International Commissioner for Scouts in Kuwait. Ali Hassan Al Ali, died of a heart attack in London today.

He had accompanied his wife to London last month when she came for treatment at a London

Al Ali, 59, was a pioneer of the scouting movement in Kuwait and was general supervisor for Scouts and Cubs at Kuwait's Education Ministry.

Khomeini predicts he will die next year

PARIS, Dec 18: fran's religious leader, Ayatollah Khomeini, has called himself the "absent imam" and had ordered the war with Iraq to continue until the second Islamic empire was established, it

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was revealed in Paris. According to the daily Seyassah of Kuwait, Khomeini called on Shi'ites around the world to... pledge allegiance to him as the 12th imam in the series of imams after the first imam, Ali Bin Abu

Khomeini said in his testament that an angel informed him he would die in the coming Persian year beginning in September-1988, adding that he expected to ... die two months after the start of tral Islamic province from which the Persian year, probably in

October or November 1988. This was stated in Khomeini's amended will and testament which was deposited in the safe of the custody council presided over by Khomeini's appointed successor Montazeri.

Leaked The contents of the testament were leaked by sources of the Iranian opposition to higher

An opposition source affirmed in Paris that their sources in Iran saw the amended testament

authorities in the French govern-

and sent a copy to them. An Iranian opposition source from Paris gave the details of the testament to the Seyassah by tele-

According to the source, Khomeini's testament con-sidered as infidels all those who agreed to stop the war with Iraq - after Khomeini's departure before establishment of the second Islamic empire.

Empire The testament defined the empire as extending to Egypt in the West and to the Gulf states, the Arab peninsula and the two Yemens in the south. The two-Islamic caravans would move. Egypt would be the second central province, and the testament called for mobilising the Muslim army from it to reconquer the and then cross Gibraltar to reopen Spain,

known in Arabic as Andalus. Khomeini has asked his successor to read the testament in full to the Shi'ite followers who would come for his funeral.

successor would announce that, in accordance with Shi ite doctrine, it had been affirmed Khomeini was the expected imam of the Shi'ites and

they must therefore make pilgrimages to his grave on the

anniversaries of his death. The testament called for holding to what it described as the divine right of Muslims to make pilgrimages to the holy shrines in Makkah and oppose all measures to make the pilgrimages for a particular section of Muslims.

(This part was interpreted as a call to continue violence during the Muslim pilgrimage season). In the amended testament, the

election of a president for Iran after the death of Khomeini was cancelled. It said that this newpost was made necessary by the conditions for establishing the second Islamic empire for which Khomeini laid down the founda-

During his life Khomeini was the only guarantor for the fairwas, therefore, no need after Khomeini's death to engage Muslims in something that might keep them away from jihad. Khomeini's successor would,

therefore, also be the president. The testament called for admitting Muslims from all over the world into the Iranian Army and for changing the Army's name to Army of Muslims.

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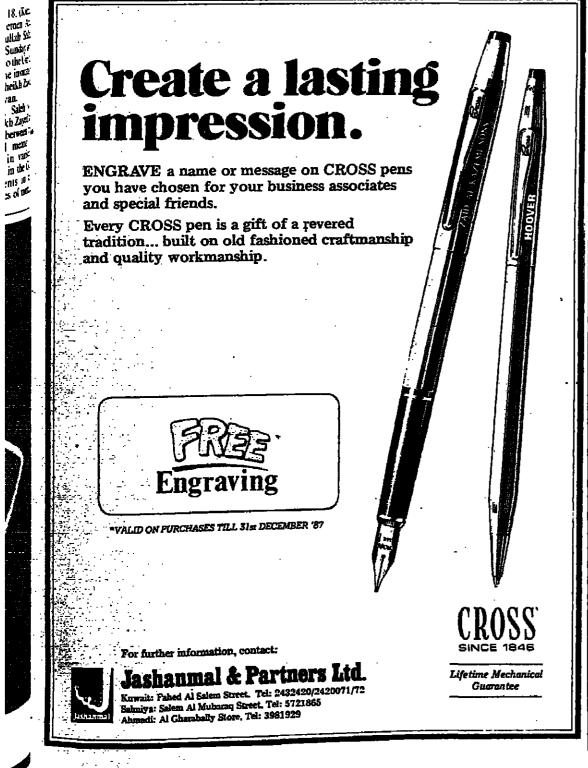
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US presidential race

Hart's re-entry stuns everyone

NEW YORK, (AP): Gary Hart, the presidential candidate who dropped out of the race seven months ago in a flurry of controversy only to rejoin it on Tuesday, faces a daunting task in reviving his campaign.
Pollsters say he must restore

the confidence of voters whose faith in his leadership was shattered by last spring's scandal involving a beautiful, young model-actress from Miami named Donna Rice. Hart is

"Hart is a flawed candidate," Andrew Kohut, president of the Gallup Organisation, a leading polister in the United States, said Tuesday after Hart surprised the nation in announcing the rebirth of his candidacy. "A man can't run successfully for president when you have 43 per cent of the American public saying they have an unfavourable opinion of

While Hart quickly may regain his strongest supporters and emerge as the Democratic frontrunner, pollsters said, he still must overcome unfavourable opinions of his candidacy that rose dramatically after he withdrew in May.

"It doesn't matter that 20 per cent of the people still love you." said another poll-taker, Gordon S. Black. "As long as concern about your ability to be president is present, people aren't going to

Hart was the clear-cut frontrunner for the Democratic presidential nomination when he quit the campaign. He returns to previously declared Democratic candidates are struggling to generate national support.

Several national pollsters said they expected Hart to emerge with support around 20 per cent, the same as current Democratic frontrunner Jesse Jackson. Because national polls early in

the race chiefly measure name recognition, "Hart is certainly going to do better than the other candidates, other than Jackson," said Warren Mitovsky, chief of news polling for the CBS television network.

But the question is whether Hart can regain the broader support he once enjoyed. "I would guess he is seriously

damaged." Mitovsky said.

better. I have the power of ideas. And I can govern this country, the candidate said.

he has no campaign funds, polls or staff. "I have something even

Surveys, however, have indicated a deep division of feeling about Hart. The number of adults with unfavourable opinions of him rose from 17 per cent in April to 43 per cent in September in Gallup polls. His favourable rating fell from 72 per cent to 50 per cent in that period.

There is a substantial group. over a quarter of Democrats, who think Hart is not qualified to be president. And that could hurt him," said Kelly Hanley, a poll analyst for the ABC television network. "He's got to convince those people that he is qualified."

Hart re-entered the race, with his wife, Lee, on his side at the state Capitol in Concord, New Hampshire, saying, "let's let the people decide." New Hampshire is the site of the first statewide primary in the United States. Friday was the deadline for candidates to sign up for the Feb 16 primary.

Hart had been dogged by rumours of "womanizing" early in his campaign and had challenged reporters to follow him, saying they would be bored by what they found.
The Miami Herald staked out

his Washington townhouse overnight, while Mrs Hart was out of town, and uncovered his relationship with Rice. Furoi

When asked later if he thought the furor would affect his renewed candidacy, Hart replied: "I don't think so. We're going to

leave it up to the people."
Mrs Hart said the family was willing to endure the rigors of a campaign "because I believe in this country and its future. Whatever grief (they experience) is nothing compared to what is

important.' Hart could get a boost from the fact that many Democratic voters remain undecided.

In September, pollster Burns W. Roper included Hart's name in a survey of likely Democratic voters in the 12 southern states, and Hart led with 26 per cent.

But that could have been "an expression of dissatisfaction with the field and a desire for something different," rather than real support for Hart,

An appeal to King Fahd

Economic cohesion of GCC should be strengthened

By Ahmed Al Jarallah

THE GCC summit, which is the only summit conference of Arabs that has been held regularly during the past eight years, will soon be held again. The summit has not only been held regularly, but has also achieved a lot in various aspects of cooperation among

GCC member states.

This summit will be held in Saudi Arabia, at the invitation of the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, one of the most important personalities involved in the evolution of the GCC. It was HH the Amir Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmed and his brother King Fahd who, after seeing the state of disunity in the Arab world, conceived the idea of the GCC at an Arab summit about eight years ago.
All official statements indicate

that there is an interest in establishing a unified economy to link GCC peoples. The Amir of Qatar once described this desire as "a path towards Gulf economic unity and the Amir of Bahrain said that it was a "link of popular interests". King Fahd, the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques described the possibility of a unified economy as the beginework necessitated by the joint interest of the peoples in the Important

In a few days the eighth GCC Summit will be held in Rivadh. the capital of the largest Gulf country, Saudi Arabia. Kuwait's Amir has said that the Riyadh summit is "very important". We agree wholeheartedly with this and will add that the Riyadh summit has a special dimension because of the developments in the region and the fact that it is held in a big, important country. But the size of the country, in

terms of what can be accomplished, is not as important as the contribution of each member state towards cooperation. It is with this in mind that we direct our comments to Riyadh and King Fahd. Everyone knows that this sum-

mit is important. GCC citizens insist that linking interests is an important factor and deserves a prompt decision. Linking popular interests should not be affected by the influence of a trading agent in one of the GCC states because his trade could be affected by encouraging local industry. GCC decisions should



HH the Amir

not be impeded by the influence of a financial or economic establishment simply because its own interests do not enhance economic cooperation among GCC

Influential

Saudi Arabia is an influential member of the GCC states. When initiative is shown by Saudi Arabia towards the implementation of economic ties among GCC states, it means that we have made progress towards strengthening relations and cohesion among GCC countries.



King Fahd

King Fahd, you will be the GCC chairman at the next meeting which will be held in your country in a few days and it is well known that there is a lot of discussion about the GCC's present status. Some say that GCC states have made important achievements over the past eight years, others say that these achievements were too slow in coming. We recognise that dif-ferences among GCC states have not created rifts or permanent disputes, which is a good sign and

opinious, but we never close the door in each other's face, but rather leave the point of difference to the next meeting until a common point can be reached.

It is no secret that this year has been characterised by questions about the formula of the GCC and its usefulness. Many rumours have circulated about this, but these were effectively silenced after the Amman sum-mit when the GCC remained

It is required of this summit that the cohesion of the GCC states be strengthened and at the same time fulfil the ambitions of the GCC peoples towards more freedom of movement, work, property ownership and a number of other things. We want the GCC peoples strongly bonded to each other. We do not want to see a company or an establishment or a group of individuals spoiling such a bond. Goal

King Fahd, you have on many occasions stressed that the GCC has achieved many things and that even more can be accomplished. We want more achievements and we want them quickly. The kingdom is a huge market with great opportunities available. Such is also the case in other GCC countries. When these are economically and industrially linked, and move in the international arena as one, they will become an important force and have more control and influence on import prices, thus helping the consumer. This cannot be accomplished unless trading freedom is granted to all GCC states without restrictions.

If this goal can be achieved, it will lead to the creation of large joint importing companies that cover the whole GCC market. If GCC states are linked at the industrial level, it will result in an industrial integration which will protect and supply local markets. and create giant Gulf industries that require sound financial conditions in some member states such as Bahrain, in which huge industries could be established and protected through customs and other means.

There are many more ideas prepared with the GCC General Secretariat, we only need to be expedient in their implementation to create the force desired for the GCC, which you, the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, conceived.

Toothpaste makers brush aside charges of racism

By William Kazer

HONG KONG, (Reuter): The makers of one of the most popular toothpastes in Asia are facing criticism they can't brush Darkie toothpaste has been

battling tooth decay for over 60 years but its manufacturers are now considering a name change amid criticism from US church groups that their product is offensive to blacks.

Hong Kong-based Hawley and Hazel Chemical Company is testing a new name — Dakkie for its familiar product, best known for the toothy smile of a black man on its package. Criticism

The image was inspired by the popular American singer Al Jolson, a white whose best-known performance was as a black minstrel. Perhaps to flatter him, perhaps as a marketing gimmick, founders of the company adopted it as their logo.

"They don't consider it racist. They believe it is not offensive in their region," said a spokesman for the company in Hone Kone It's a US issue."

But it is an issue that has forced the manufacturers to change their strategy. Hawley and Hazel, founded in

Shanghai and later moved to the British colony, had occasional problems with the name of its

product in the past,

Palmolive of the United States bought 50 per cent interest in the company in 1985 that criticism threatened to take a bite out of

The US-based Interfaith Centre on corporate responsibility, which monitors equal rights issues, has pressed Colgate-Palmolive to consider a change.

"Some of our members, religious institutional investors, already held shares at the time that concern was first raised about the name and the image of the Darkie toothpaste packaging which was supposed to portray Al Jolson in blackface," said Dara Demmings of the centre's Equality USA Programme. "It just looks like a black person in blackface.'

The Interfaith Centre official said there had been progress on the issue and Colgate-Palmolive has been responsive to concerns. But Colgate-Palmolive is

moving cautiously because it does not want to jeopardise the only product of the Hong Kong firm — a toothpaste that has as much as 75 per cent of the Taiwan market and a substantial share of sales in Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand and Hong

Changed The Chinese name, which

literally means "black man toothpaste" has not been changed in the Singapore market test. Israeli soldiers fear for their lives

Nor has the logo, though company officials say they might replace it with a more modernlooking black person. They say they might also change the brand name to Darbie or Hawley.

The response to the market test, begun in October, has been subdued. A company official in Singapore said "consumers here are pretty indifferent to the English name, and the logo of the black and white minstrel is not seen as offensive."

Consumers buying "Dakkie" were asked to call a hotline with their response, but fewer than six telephone calls have been recor-

Elsewhere, the controversy over the product has gone largely unnoticed

In Malaysia, where racial issues are a highly sensitive subject, consumers are generally unconcerned - · · · · · ·

Unaware

This is because most Malaysian consumers are not only very much in the dark over the controversy surrounding the toothpaste but also generally unaware of the black and their civil rights struggle," said a marketing official.

The low-key response was echoed in Taiwan.

Helen Liu, a 57-year-old housewife in Taipei, said: "The toothpaste featuring a black man with a toothy smile is an excellent advertisement "

'They say that in order to satisfy

some international conscience,

we have to return to the suffocat-

ing 1967 (boundary) lines and

that then peace will descend

observers alike agree Israeli

troops have been tougher than

usual in repressing daily demon-strations in the West Bank and

Gaza Strip, which Israel

occupied in the 1967 Middle East

But they disagree about the

reasons for the new toughness.
"The Army has not been dis-

patching enough soldiers to stop the rioting," said Ariel Merari, a

Israeli and Palestinian

ANKARA, (Reuter): Backed by

the credentials of the most open elections since its 1980 Army coup, Turkey is courting the early embrace of the European Economic Community (EEC) to cement its new-found democracy.

attests to the value of the GCC as

warning that if Brussels spurns be bitter.

made entry into the community a major goal to ensure Turkish stability in a volatile region. And President Kenan Evren

provide the community with significant political, economic and cultural dimensions.

and democratic records to its Muslim identity.

Turkey, straddling Europe and Asia, is believed to be aiming

have very serious implications difficult to foresee at present ...

would be the natural outcome of its westernisation efforts over the

By John Owen-Davies

And it supports its suit with a

Ankara, the consequences could Prime Minister Turgut Ozal, returned to office last month, has

told the new parliament on Mon-day that Turkey believed it could

But Ankara's application last April stirred a hornets' nest of EEC objections over issues ranging from Turkey's human rights

Community commission president Jacques Delors has said that he personally does not favour Turkish membership on political and economic grounds. Unaccepted

for entry within six years. "Some

powers in the region," he added. Turkey, a member of the Nato alliance and an EEC associate since 1963, borders Iran, Iraq, the Soviet Union, Bulgaria, Syria and EEC member Greece, with which it has been at odds.

Turkey sets early **EEC** entry target

Reuters: "At the moment, we are very much concerned with putting order into our own home and have gigantic problems of our own to solve before we can think of extending the commun-

The 12-nation bloc has unresolved problems with its budget, caused mainly by its agricultural policies, and is still coping with integrating new and relatively impoverished members, Spain and Portugal. Drop

A senior Western diplomat said: "There is fairly little enthusiasm for even thinking about expanding the community. But nobody wants to drop Turkey because of the importance of its military (Nato) role and the need for economic stability. Ozal said last month that

million growing at 2.5 per cent a year, would join the community sooner than most people expected and play an important role, including a "bridge" between Europe and Middle East. tion could result in a "second

Japan" — a highly industrialised nation with booming exports on the community's doorstep, with a population that may reach With large numbers of Turk-

ish workers already in the EEC, some community members fear a massive new inflow could further upset a delicate balance at a time of high unemployment. These fears are heightened by

16 per cent unemployment in Turkey, where the average per capita income of some \$1,000 is below that in the poorest EEC member Portugal. The EEC's northern Euro-

pean members do not want the balance to tip further to lessdeveloped southern European states following the membership of Greece, Spain and Portugal.

development programme, even in remote areas where lifestyles are more Asian than European. It has made Turkey a more attractive market for EEC firms seeking development and other contracts. Turkish officials brush aside Hardy March Ma March Ma

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EEC fears that their country will be a financial burden and say its industry, including textiles, petrochemicals, iron and steel will be competitive. Commission officials had initial talks in Turkey last week

prior to drawing up a report. Commission sources in Brussels. say there is no time limit for the report's completion.
"Just because the Turkish government has formally asked, it is not a question of ... becoming or not becoming a member," one

commission source said. "It is going to be a very long process."

Relations between the reold. munity and Earkey brached a low after the 1980 military takeover, the third in 20 years, when Brussels froze the joint association. Political contacts resumed

in September 1980. Most political criticism of Turkey has come from the European parliament in Strasbourg, which recently acquired new powers that would allow it

to reject Turkey's application. The parliament called last month for two Turkish communists who had returned to Ankara to be freed from detention. Since then, they have been formally

Although communism has been banned in Turkey since 1924. Evren has indicated that Euro-communism may be accepted in time, in line with EEC

drive. The two countries came to the brink of armed conflict over rights in the Aegean last March but there are signs now that a rapprochement is in the offing.

Tanker war reaches new heights

ablaze in an attack earlier in the

Chandler was prevented by the from protecting the burning craft because it did not fly the

Western warships deployed in or near the waterway to stop the Shipping sources say the

frequency and severity of attacks have actually increased since the US and West European navies surged into the waterway since July to protect freedom of

express open contempt for the failure of the navies to defend ships other than their own national carriers "The Chandler is the world's

largest lifeboat," said one, a reference to the fact that while it rescued sailors aboard an attacked Greek vessel last week, it does nothing to head off assaults on non-American ships or punish attackers. The Chandler on Thursday

which patrols off Dubai in the favoured area for Iranian attacks, loitered nearby. The Iranians also fired at a helicopter carrying a camera

crew and correspondent from the American television network CBS but failed to hit it. They were firing directly at us. Shells were landing in the sea below us, said correspondent

pilot took drastic evasive action and warned the Chandler that he was taking fire.
"The Chandler said "Okay,

Allen Pizzey, adding that his

med." Pizzey added.
There were no casualties in the attacks and the Island Transporter was later taken under tow towards Dubai. The crew were taken off by tug.

Earlier in the confusion of the attack, shipping sources mistak-enly reported that a Chandler helicopter had rescued some of the crew.

But they said this had proved impossible, and ultimately unnecessary, because the Island Transporter was inside waters claimed by Iran. The Chandler remained in international waters, they added

ted 11 crewmen from the Greek tanker Pivot, set alight like Thursday's victim of Abu Musa island, a Revolutionary Guards Navy base near here.

Thursday's attacks by Iran

followed a spate of Iraqi strikes on Iranian shipping over the past days. Tehran Radio on Thursday accused the US Navy in the Gulf of jamming Iran's coastal radar to help protect Iraqi planes when they raid ships along the Iranian

M were injured when it was hit by an Iraqi missile near Iran's Bushire port.

Another missile hit the 289,776-tonne Iranian tanker Taftan but damage was slight

The increased success of Iraqi attacks have sparked the leanians, who operate a tit-for-tat retaliatory policy for every Iran-ian ship attacked, to hammer

merchant vessels They cannot attack Iraqi tankers because Baghdad exports its oil by pipeline across Turkey and Saudi Arabia.

Attack

with Iraq's two main supporters in the Guif. Kuwait and Saudi Arabia. The Island Transporter was carrying Saudi sulphur to-

In addition, Hart said Tuesday **Beirut's Martyrs'** Square in ruins

By Peter Smerdon

BEIRUT (Reuter): In the ruined heartland of Lebanon's capital, 17-year-old Elias put his USmade M-14 rifle to one side and squinted at the faded postcard of Beirut. He peered for several minutes before smiling.
"It's the Rivoli Cinema," the

busy shops, open-air cafes, traffic jams and lush palm trees. A lull in one sector of the combat which has for so long racked his country gave Elias a chance to look around.

militiaman said quietly, awed by

the postcard view of Martyrs'

Square in 1960s peace with its

"And there it still is," he shouted triumphantly but mistakenly, pointing not afthe nowcharred picture palace at the other end of the square but at the shell-blasted Nadi Al Shark office building.

Elias, five-years-old when Lebanon's civil war started, could no longer recognise the landmarks of Martyrs' Square. Fame Once the traditional centre of

Lebanon's cosmopolitan life, the Ottoman-style square is now fewer birds and young guards from the Christian Lebanese Forces (LF) militia.

But in the minds of many older residents, the square at the seaside end of the five-mile (eight-km) "Green Line" battle zone dividing Beirut since 1975, remains the heart and soul of their capital.

Elias never visited the Rivoli

before stirrings of war cut short

its screenings, closed bars, offices and brothels and blew out the glitzy neon advertising signs. "It's fame was our greatness," said a former resident, who abandoned his barbers' shop in the square. "Thousands from all over the world came there. But

Named after 16 rebels against by day throbbed as Beirut's business centre and each night as a famed rendezvous.

With Syrian troops and proon its southwest corner, it is now an arena for Muslim and Christian snipers even in a period of relative calm.

downtown's wrecked landmarks lay.
"It's changed a lot, hasn't it."

square remain on sale in a few vanished as fast as peace did. The Rivoli still stands but, like all its neighbours, every inch of its facade has been pounded by

Palestinian conquerors. and hotels ransacked edifices,

shed by rocket and shell. In front is a bronzed bullet-riddled statue of a woman holding a flaming torch aloft as she shields

the area's renowned brothel

before the war, its verandah

columns chipped away to break-

ing-point by attack and counter-

Ottoman rule who were hanged there on May 6, 1916, the square

shouted argument, where the

The colour postcards of the Beirut shops because tourists

the square's Lebanese Christian, Lebanese Muslim, Syrian and The shops and cases are dusty, shell-blasted caverns, the offices the road is smothered by

of flying gun-fire. Attack

darmarie, but it is a skeleton sma-

who would want to go there

But then the war arrived. Syrian Amal militiamen dug in

needed to locate, with much

All six LF guards were finally

barricades and the palms have been pruned to stumps by years

Still dominating the square is the graceful Ottoman-built gen-

a young man. Behind the gendarmarie looms the Shareh Al Mutanabi, Violence due to tougher tactics

By Masha Hamilton OCCUPIED JERUSALEM (AP):Tougher tactics used by Israeli soldiers who fear for their lives and Arab frustration over a stalled peace process have triggered an unspurge of bloody

riots in the Israeli-occupied territories. Demonstrations in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, which began Dec 8, have been some of the most violent and widespread

in the last 10 years. Lack of political progress in the Arab-Israeli conflict since the 1979 Egyptian-Israeli Peace Treaty is fuelling Palestinian disappointment and fury, said Cabinet Minister Ezer Weizman,

a key negotiator in peace talks

command of Germany Army.

men on moon.

protesters are only youths and that the violence will pass is making a big mistake," said Weizman, a member of the Centrist Labour Party.

Sparked But Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, leader of the right-wing

tions of Israeli weakness. Today we face a wave of

defeatist reaction by Israelis who

are tired," Shamir told the radio.

TODAY IN HISTORY faced with tens or hundreds of rioters." Merari told the

1793 — Napoleon Bonaparte takes Toulon. 1795 — Austria signs armistice with France. 1842 — United States recognises independence of Hawaii. 1885 — German dispute with Spain over Caroline Islands in Pacific is settled in favour of Spain.

William of Orange enters London

1902 — Germany, Britain and Italy blockade Venezuela. 1909 — Civil war starts in Honduras. 1915 — British troops begin withdrawal from Sulva and Anzac in Gallipoli in World War I. 1941 — German dictator Adolf Hitler faces military setbacks in World War II, dismisses his chief of staff and takes personal

1946 - War breaks out in Indochina as troops under Ho Chi Minh launch widespread attacks against French. 1961 — Goa and two other Portuguese enclaves on India's west coast fall to Indian invaders. 1962 - Senegal's President Leopold Senghor takes charge of government in Dakar after ouster of the West African nation's

premier. 1971 — Pakistan's President Agha Mohammed Yahya Khan quits office after military defeat in fighting with India in East 1972 — US Apollo 17 spacecraft splashes down on target in Pacific Ocean, windup of US Apollo programme of landing

1985 - Muslim gunmen kidnap 10 Christians in Beirut,

1986 - Kremlin says it has freed dissident Andrei Sakharov

from internal exile and pardoned his wife so they can return to

Lebanon, stepping up campaign of terror.

Moscow from closed city of Gorky.

with Egypt.
"Anybody who thinks these

"(The unrest) is a result of a failure to even try to find a political solution to the conflict. The Israeli government must call on Arab governments immediately to resume peace talks," he said on Israel Radio.

Likud bloc, said the violence was

sparked largely by Arab percep-

noted Israeli expert on terrorism from Tel Aviv University's Jaffee Centre for Strategic Studies. The result is the soldiers are pushed into a corner and don't feel se cure enough when they are

> Associated Press. "Their response then tends to deteriorate. They open fire." But Palestinians said the more brutal tactics were a matter of Army policy. "After the successful hang-

> > managing editor of the weekly English-language Al Awdah magazine.

glider attack in the north, the

military establishment has been

seeking a way to reaffirm its credibility," said Elias Zananiri,

He referred to a Nov 25 attack in which an Arab commando infiltrated northern Israel from Lebanon and killed six soldiers before being killed himself. The Army took legal steps against two soldiers it said had not acted properly and transferred a base

Attack

Shamir, who blamed Syria for the attack, later said the superpowers had urged Israel not to strike back. Other officials said Americans didn't want an Israeli military action in Lebanon to disrupt the US-Soviet summit held in Washington earlier this

Turkey, with a population of 52

people see entry by 2000 but we find this unacceptable," an official Turkish source said. "If Europe rejects us it will

but big (development) projects would not go to Europeans, Arab capital would come in and we would turn more to Japan and "Rejection will also give additional power to fanatical

Evren told parliament that integration of secular Turkey

By James Foley DUBAI, (Reuter): One of the largest US warships in the Gulf stood by on Thursday as Iranian gunboats raked a merchant ship with cannon fire after setting it

American flag.

—The Iranian attack under the nose of the destroyer demonstrated the impotence of some 80

The Guards returned several hours later to rake the vessel with cannon fire as the Chandler,

where are they and keep us infor-

arrested.

countries. Turkey sees neighbouring Greece as another major obstacle to its community membership

Aware of the need for quick The EEC commission's Ankdevelopment, Ozal has freed the

Western navies impotent in the Gulf

day, shipping sources said. The 8,140-ton destroyer Pentagon's rules of engagement

navigation.

Many people in merchant shipping circles in the Gulf now

hovered near, the 9,714-tonne Maldives-registered Island Transporter, set alight by Iran-ian Revolutionary Guards firing rocket grenades.

Shipping sources said three to five crewmen aboard the 27, 244-tonne Cypriot bulk carrier Mini

and there were no injuries, the

So they go for ships associated

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Money A. Mon

Too many sports shows

MUCH to the disappointment of many TV viewers, sports is now getting top priority on KTV 2. Local football matches are shown time and again in addition to three permanent sports features -- Big League Soccer, shifted from Fridays to Saturdays; ninety minutes of American Baskethall at prime viewing time of 8.40 on Mondays and a three-hour actionpacked Sports Studio on Fridays. This is just a bit too much for many viewers.

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This week's movie bonance starts with Kung Fa, a 1972 made-for-TV movie is tonight's feature film on Channel 2: David Carradine, Barry Sullivan, Keith Carradine and Victor Sen Yung star in this tale of a young Buddhist monk who flees mainland China after he is accused of murder and comes to the American West.

Carradine resurrected the role 14 years later in Kungfu; the movie. One of the two versions will be shown by KTV.

Woody Allen plays a sch-nook in Tuesday's Cine Club movie The Front, directed by Martin Ritt in 1976. Allen is enlisted by blacklisted writers to put his name on their scripts during 1950s witch-hunt era. leading to various complications. Original script was by blacklisted Walter Bernstein. Martin Ritt, Herschel Bernardi, Zero Mostel and Joshua Shelly, who are featured in the film, were also blacklisted in real life. Many Cine Club viewers have complained about the absence of Hinds tilms on this programme. Cine Club presenter Faronk Abdul Aziz plans to show two Indian films Genesis and Khandur, both Mrinal Sen, in the next season,

beginning in January. Movie entertainment con-

cludes with Thursday's Late Night Movie Zandy's Bride. Swede Jan Torell directs Gene Hackman and Liv Ullman in Zandy's Bride, Also known as For Better, For Worse, it tells the tepid tale of mailorder bride and her pioneer husband. played by Hackman, who treats his wife as a mere property until hardship teaches them mutual respect.

Two weeks ago, KTV I had announced the showing of a Hindi film, Mr. Natwarlal, on Friday afternoon. That week the film was, as usual, not shown. This week, the programmers have again listed the movie, scheduled for transmitting on Friday at 4 pm. If all goes well, you can see Amitabh Bachchan as Natwarlal with Rekha providing the romance.



Woody Alien stars in The Front.

6.10 Inspector Gadget: cartoon serial 6.30 Not Another Science Show: "How Does Your Garden Grow." Too much water and fertiliser can kill plants. A look on plant care . Botterfly Lei

SUNDAY

6.00 Holy Quran

7.00 Butterfly Island
"Prisoner of Silence." Charles is attacked by an unknown man while on his way on a mission. 7.30 Understanding Islam;

Religious programme 8.00 News in English 8.40 Dalton: Code of Ven geance: "The Last Holdout." As a reward for saving a labourer, Dalton is hired by a vegetable seller.

9.40 Gone Fishing: fishing in New Zealand: 10.30 Best-Seller: "The Fight

Against Slavery." Part In 1779, a slave trader Luke Collingwood, a ship's captain, ordered his men to throw overboard over 100 Africans. The case was brought to court, not as murder, but as an insurance claim.

12.00 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite/Closedown MONDAY

.6.00. Holy Quran Sala attended 6.10 Paw Paws: "Tozem Termi-Nation." Cartoons

6.30 The Animal Express: a visit to the acquarium in Miami.

7.00 Roving Report: roundup of world news "Chained." 7.30 Webster:

This week on KTV 2



in a typical episode, Adderly is sent to baby-sit a deposed queen in Monday's episode.

Webster tries to break the curse of the "Chain Letters."

8.00 News in English
8.40 American Basketball
10.00 Oddie in Paradise: a look
at birds and wildlife in

New Guinea 10.30 Adderly: "Adderly with Eggroll." Tonight Adderly's assignment is to protect a dethroned queen and her pets -dogs. - Everything that : wrong before Adderly

becomes a hero again. 11.30 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite/Closedown

TUESDAY 6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 The Enchanted House: 6.30 The New Animal World: a look at a rare species of lions inhabiting the mountainous region of North America,

7.00 For the Record: "Change of Place." A farmer's family is forced to leave their ranch after the fathers death. 8.00 News in English

8.40 You and the Law 8.50 Bridges to Cross: "Memories of Molly." An oil company is under investigation. 9.30 Mary: "And the Winner Is ..." Mary wins an

award for writing an article in a fashion magazine.
10.00 Cine Club: "The Front." Woody Allen is a sch-

nook enlisted by black-

Roger Moore in The Persuaders, on Thursday.

Marwan

Jleeb Al Shiyook and

variety show featuring

Sadoun Jaber, Ahmad

Ghanem Ronzi, Amal

Walt Disney: English

12.00 Ali Al Zanceq: featuring Farouk Fishawi, Huda

and Laila Fawzi.

4.35 The Persuaders: English

7.30 Rahlat Fi Alam Maj-

feature film for children.

Sultan, Abu Bakr Ezzat

series starring Roger

Moore and Tony Cur-

noun: Arabic serial star-

ring Samir Ghanim and

Rabiya Schools

Arafah,

Adham.

THURSDAY

10.05 Ayyam Aslibal: weekly

6.30 The Electric Company listed writers to put his 7.00 Fairy Tale Theatre: "Rapunzed." name on their scripts during the 1950s witch-

9.30 P.M.

gorillas.

Magazine:

Tepid

'Animals." A look at

lion taming; training

dogs to help the blind;

sharks, whales and

dy's Bride." (1974) Star-ring: Liv Ullman, Gene

romance of a mail-order

bride and her pioneer husband. The film is

also known as For Bet-

ine D'Actualite/Close

sporting events; football

Kicks." Arnie joins a soccer club.

programme, hosted by

"Chicken A La Prince"

Mr Brown convinces

10.30 Late Night Movie: "Zan-

Hackman.

ter, For Worse.

down

2.00 Holy Quran

2.10 Cartoons

FRIDAY

12.00 NewsSummary/Magaz-

2.30 Sports Studio: local

and other matches.

7.30 Side Kicks: "Just for

8.40 Breaking Away: a local

Basma Al Rayyes.

8.40 Programme has not

been announced.

10.00 What A Country:

programme

7.00 Zorro: cartoons

8.00 News in English

9.30 Weekend:

8.00 News in English 8.40 Max Headroom: "War." Network 23 is used by a hunt era. 12.00 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite Closegang to blackmail peo-

WEDNESDAY 6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Mickey and Donald: car-

toons 6.30 Charles in Charge: "Another Saturday Charles Night." redefines his friendship

with his girlfriend 7.00 Chronicle: "The Gold of Thracian." Documentary.

News in English The Wizard: Give Up." "Never Drug pushers take over an Indian village.
9.30 The World We Live in:
"Animal War, Animal

Peace.' 10.00 Sledge Hammer

"Haven't Gun, Will travel". A group of burglárs plan to steal Hammer's gun. 10.30 Falcon Crest: "The Cra-dle Will Fall." Richard

Channing plans a rescue operation to free his kidnapped infant son: Chase is taken prisoner in Oklahoma and Lance seeks his father's help to solve his marriage problems.

12.00 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite/Closedown

THURSDAY 6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Voltron: "The Secret of the White Lion." Cartoons.

their operation.

ine D'Actualite/Close

Mobuto that it is not undignified to work.

10.30 Crime Story: "Fatal Crossroads." After the court postpones a case hearing, the gang moves to Las Vegas to renew 11.30 NewsSummary/Magaz-

TELEVISION PROGRAMMES

KTV₁

2.15 Holy Quran 2.25 World News via Satellite

3.20 Hakim Al Aqzam: cartoon serial

4.00 News Summary 4.05 Magazine D'Actualite

4.25 La Ilaha Ilallah: historical serial. Starring Abdullah Al Ghaith, Imaan Toqi, Ahmad Abdul Aziz, Ahmad Badr Manahai: 5.30 Al

programme for children

6.00 Rahlat Istakshafiya: "Expeditions". Educational

7.00 News Summary 7.05 Noor Al Islam: "The Rights of Man in Islam". Guests are Dr Ismael Ibrahim Badawi, Dr Mustafa Mohammad Ariawi. Hosted by Ahmed Abdul Qadir

7.35 Nazrat Alai Alam: documentary 7.45 Security and Citizens

8.20 Good Evening and Local News 9.00 News in Arabic

10.05 Ghaddan Tadaq Al Ajras: daily serial featuring Salah Saadani, Hina Thar-Al Arabi.

wath, Mohammad 11.00 Variety Show featuring the Music Fes-

Tonight's feature film is Kung Fu, at 10.30 pm on KTV 2.

tival held recently in

11 30 News Summary 11.40 World News via

Satellite 12.25 Holy Quran/Closed-

KTV2

3.30 Holy Quran 3,40 Cartoons 4,00 13th Asian Boxing

Championship: The opening of the boxing championship will be shown live from Kuwait Handball Federation Hall

5.10 A programme for young viewers.
6.10 Thundercats: "Retum to the Driller". Cartoon story for

prevent a nuclear 7.10 Tomorrow-Today: computer education

6.40 ALF: "Pennsylvania

6-500". Alt tells the US President to

at schools; interview and reports on scientific advances.
7.35 Red Serge: "The School Ma'am". Lily

teaches English to Red Indian children 8.00 News in English

8.45 Italian Soccer

9.40 Hunter: police thriller 10.30 Made-for-TV Movi-

Please note that programmes and timings are Ilable to change without notice.

15 Network UK 30 People and Politics 0300 World News

09News about Britan

15 The World Today 30 Business Matters 0400 Newsdest 30 Here's Humph! 45 Reflections

50 Financial News

45 Network UK 0800 World News

NO Financial News
0500 World News
09 Twenty-Four Hours: News
Summary
30 Personal View
45 The World Today
0600 Newsdesk
30 Meridian

9700 World News
97 Twenty-Four Hours: News
Summary
30 From the Weeklies

0800 World News
09 Reflections
15 A Jolly Good Show
0900 World News
09 British Press Review
15 The World Today
30 Financial News followed by

1000 News Sammary followed by Here's Humph! 15 Letter from America

Sports Roundup Personal View

e: "Kung Fu".

RADIO PROGRAMMES

English

08.00 Opening 08.02 Songs and Music

08.30 News 08.40 Songs and Music 08.45 Daily Programme 09.00 Cultural Horizon

09.30 Reggae Rock 10.00 Our Press Today 10.05 Songs and Music 10.30 The Years of Pops 11.00 News on the FM Service

Evening 21.00 Oper 21.02 Kuwait Our Beloved Homeland

21.30 News 21.45 Point of View 21.55 Songs and Music 22.00 Kuwait in a Week

22.15 Rock On 22_45 Daily Program 23.00 Strictly Romantic 23.30 Amazing Facts

FM Services

08.00-08.30 Easy listening 08.30-08.40 News

08.40-10.00 Easy listening 10.00-13.00 Songs and Music 13.00-13.30 Easy listening 13.30-13.40 News 13.40-14.00 Easy listening 14.00-16.00 Classical music

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> Al Jahra Pray for Death

> > Granada

Choose Me Sulaibikhat Be'ar Khayanah (Arabic)

Al Jieeb Neelankurunji Poothappol (Malayalam)

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23,00-24,00 Easy listening 24.00-02.00 Inst Urdu

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BBC World Services

0900 World News
09 Mews about Britain
15 Radio Newsreel
30 Personal View
45 Recording of The Week
9100 News Summary followed by
Outlook

30 They Sold a Million 45 Nature Notebook 45 Nature Notebook 6200 World News 09 British Press Review

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KTV I weekly highlights SUNDAY

4.25 La Haha Hlallah: historical serial. Starring: Shabaan, Yusuf Raghda, Hala Fakber. Part 3. 7.05 Al Kasshaf: "Al Nimr Al Hadari", hosted by

Abdul Aziz Ai Haddad. 10.50 Dairat Al Abdath: Kamil Abdul Jalil discusses "Water Supply" Guests are Faisal Yusuf Al Munsif, Abdullah Mohammad Al Munayyes, Sadeq Ahmad Bu Hamad, Khalid Hamad, Khalie Humoud Al Farhoud.

MONDAY 3.30 Hakim Al Aqzam: new

cartoon serial
5.30 Mama Anisa and Children: a weekly show for oung viewers. Quran and Science: hosted by Dr Ahmad Shawki Ibrahim. 9.50 Ghaddan Tadaq

ring Salah Saadani, Hina Tharwath. Mohammad Al Arabi. 10.50 Qalb Min Zajaj: Part One. Starring: Huda Hussein, Jassim Nabhan, Ahmad Saleh, Aisha (brahim, Ibrahim

Ajras: daily serial, star-

TUESDAY Manahai: an 5.30 AT educational programme

Harbi. Drama.

WHAT'S ON

ARTS

Over 90 paintings by Paleslinian artist Mohammad Boushnaq are on show at the Free Atelier Gallery, Arabian Gulf St. The show has been organised by the Kuwait Society for Formative Arts. Open daily from 8.30 am to 12 noon and 4 10.7 pm, until Dec. 22.

Sultan Gallery
Exhibition of Prisse D'Avennes L'Art Arabe (1877), open daily except Friday, 9 am to 1 pm and 5 to 8 pm, at the Sultan Gallery, Al Soor St

for young viewers, tea-ching Arabic language. Ahmad Qawadi, Amal Al Dabbas and Tayseer Attiya appear in this

half-hour show. 10.50 Bidom Montage: a local show hosted by Mubarak Al Ameer. Guests are Ibrahim Al Shatti, director of Amiri Diwan; Dr Latifa Al Rujaib, undersecretary, Ministry of Social Affairs and Labour.

WEDNESDAY 7.05 With Students: a weekly programme on education, presented by the Ministry of Education. Today's contest is bet-



Rekha co-stars in Natwarial,

Friday's Hindi film. Bahrain Modern Ari Show An exhibition of Bahrain's modern art opens today at 5 pm at the Dahiyat Abdullah Al Salem Salem Gallery. It will be open daily from 9 am to 12 noon and 5 to 8 pm.

Vishwabharati auditorium.

SOCIAL

ASK Alumni Dinner

Malayalee Drama Theatre, Abbasia, will present a Malayalee Drama, written by Thomas Pereumpilly, on Dec 25, at the Indian Embassy

Friends and graduates of the

American School, Kuwait, will

hold an alumni dinner at Regency Palace Hotel on Jan 3. The Arabic buffet will begin at 8 pm. For details phone Mrs. Suzy Jones - 5314568.

Issad Yunis.

Indian Film Festival

shown at 7.30 pm tonight at the auditorium of the Kuwait Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Its director Mrinal Sen will attend the opening to tonight's festival. Children are not admitted. The festival has been organised by the Cine

FILMS

Akaier Sandhanay (In Search of a Famine) will be Labib.

Lounge. Lunch featuring seasonal food will be offered at the Coffee Shop, Al Dana and

At the Sheraton lunch and dinner buffets.

10.20 Children's Magazine: a show for children presented by children. Fahaheel Open-Air 4.00 Hindi film: Mr. Nat-warlal. Starring: Aadmi (Hindi) Starring: Dilip Kumar Amitabh Bachchan,

Rekha.
7.45 A Seminar on Kuwait: Part One. Presented by the Education Ministry. 10.50 Liqa'a: Arabic play, starring Shweikar, Samah Anwar, Hussein Sharbini, Raja Al Jed-

awi. Directed by Raed

10.00 Al Awham: Arabic

Drama.

FRIDAY

feature film. Starring:

Mustafa Fahmi, Ilham

Shahin, Hatem Zul-

fiqar, Mohsin Sarhan

HOTELS

At the Holiday Inn Pastries, stollens and logs for the festive season and New Year are available at the Lobby

Al Andalus. For details contact the hotel.

Al Hambra features a special buffet lunch on Dec 25. Hunt Room will offer lunch and dinner buffet and a la carte; music by the Paradise Trio. A selection of set menus will be offered for dinner on Dec 24 and 25. Le Tarbouche features special

CINEMA Al Andalus Born American Starring: Mike Norris, Steve Durham

Al Salmiya Ruthless People Starring: Danny De Vito

Angry Young Man

Al Hamra

Al Firdons

Drive-In Jara Al Wuhoosh (Arabic) Starring: Noor Al Shariff, Noora, Hussein Fahmi. Mahmoud Abdul Aziz

Starring: Shashi Kapoor, Hema Malini

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FILE photo of a Soviet SS-20 intermediate range missile which appeared in Thursday's edition of Pravda. The SS-20 missiles are to be dismantled as part of the INF Treaty signed December 8 in Washington. (Reuter radiophoto)



RULING party presidential candidate Roh Tae Woo waves as he leaves his house this morning after victory in Wednesday's presidential election in South Korea. (Reuter radiophoto)



A DOWNCAST Michael Deaver (right), former top White House aide talks with reporters after being convicted on Wednesday of perjury. His attorney, Herbert Miller, stands by his side. (Reuter radiophoto)

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COMMUTERS faced a long wait for trains in towns around Tokyo on Thursday when services were halted by a strong earthquake in central Japan. Picture right: A woman picks up bottles of Japanese sake thrown from shelves at a shop in Chiba, Japan, by the quake. (Reuter radiophoto)



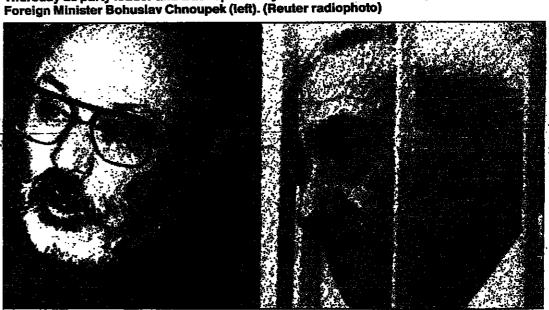
CZECH Communist party leader, Gustav Husak (right) is seen in East Berlin on December 11 signing the Warsaw Pact agreement with iNF treaty. Husak resigned on Thursday as party leader and was replaced by Milos Jakes. Also in the photo is Czech



THIS combo shows the many faces of Gary Hart as he explains his reasons for returning to the presidential race during a news conference at Denver's Stapleton International Airport on Thursday. (Reuter radiophoto)



SUDAN'S Prime Minister Sadeq Al Mahdi talks at a news conference in Amman. He said his government had held secret talks in London this month with representatives of the rebel army fighting in southern Sudan. He said only foreign interference was blocking peace. (Reuter radiophoto)



A RECENT photo of Luciano Liggio (left) and Michele Greco in the courthouse during the Mafia trial in Palermo, Sicily. The court sentenced Greco to life imprisonment for a murder, while Liggio was acquitted. Liggio still remains in jail for the murder of a Mafia rival, for which he was jailed in 1974. (Reuter radiophoto)



WEST GERMANY'S national soccer team midfielder Olaf Thon (right) falls as Argentine goalkeeper Nery Pumpido catches the ball preventing him from scoring, as Argentine midfielder Roberto Sensini is caught between them, during a friendly international match played in Buenos Aires on Wednesday. Argentina beat West Germany 1-0. (Reuter radiophoto)



"PLAY your own summit and have fun" guarantees "Drastic Plastic" a Hamburg dealer for pop antiques that offers these two speaking puppets of Ronald Reagan and Mikhail Gorbachev a week before Christmas. (Reuter radiophoto)



CHARLES SIN tells reporters he would not run the exchange as a dictator during his first press conference on Thursday after he took over the post as the Chairman of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong on Wednesday. (Reuter radiophoto)



PRESIDENT Saddam Hussein (right) receives Yasser Arafat (centre) in his office in Baghdad on Thursday. (Reuter radiophoto)



TWO of St James' Park pelicans chat it up near a lake in the park. Lord Stodart of the House of Lords said that the pelicans have not laid an egg since the time of James f and that the park relied more on the generosity of the Amir of Bahawalpur and the pelican breeders of Louisiana and Texas than it did on nature. (Reuter radiophoto)

BUSINESS & FINANCE

Kaufman to leave Salomon **Brothers**

NEW YORK, Dec 18, (Reuter): Henry Kaufman, the economist known as Dr Doom because of his gloomy, market-moving forecasts, will leave Salomon Brothers next year after 26 years, the leading investemnt banking house said on Wednesday.

Kaufman, 60, was a major influence on the financial markets, particularly during the late 1970s and early 1980s when high inflation and interest rates were great weights on the US econ-

"I hope some people will remember me for having recognised major structural changes in the marketplace over a period of time and what their significance has been." Kaufman told

His rise as a well-known pun-dit paralleled the growth of Salomon into the most powerful investment banking firm on Wall Street. Although his influence within his own firm waned last year as a shakeup removed him from the executive board, he dismissed rumours that he was eased out.

"All my partners and associates wanted me to stay." he

Although some economists and financial analysts say Kaufman has been slow to spot the market's big turns during the past five years, Kaufman himself said he is pleased with his record.

"When you span a whole period of time you have to recognise there are no perfections in anything, but I will leave my forecasting record to history," he said. "Personally I think I will find an element of satisfaction in

The Kaufman announcement came amid a quickening of top level personnel shifts on Wall Street in the aftermath of the October crash.

Oman oil earnings rise

MUSCAT, Dec 18, (Reuter): Oman's oil sales earned 313 million rials (\$812 million) in the third quarter of the year, 82 per cent of its total export earnings and a rise of 32 million rials (\$83 million) from the second quarter, the Oman news agency said yesterday.

The non-Opec Gulf state has a self-imposed production limit of 565,000 barrels per day (bpd) and set a 1987 oil income target of 1.1 billion rials (\$2.9 billion). It has earned 861 million rials (\$2.2 billion) in the first nine months. Exports

Oman's total third quarter earnings from all exports were 382.2 million rials (\$993 million), up by 46.6 million rials (\$121 million) from the second quarter. Oil revenue was 281 million rials (\$730 million) in the April-June period.

Oman had a record 666 million rial (\$1.7 billion) budget deficit last year. The government forecasts a 275 million rial (\$714 million) deficit for 1987.

Planners expect the economy to grow at 2.5 per cent a year until the end of 1990. Government can weather stock market crash

US economy booming in third quarter

of third-quartrer Gross National Product (GNP) figures, the Commerce Department revised up its estimate of quarterly expansion from an earlier 4.1 per cent because of strong consumer and govenrment spending.

Allen Sinai, senior vice-president of Shearson Lehman Bros Incin New York, said it was the strongest report on the economy in two years and predicted further growth at a 2.5 per centto-three per cent rate in the final three months.

"The economy was on a roll in the third quarter," Sinai said, "as of now, no full-fledged recession should be expected in 1988."

LONDON, Dec 18, (Reuter): The financial crash of 87 has so

far failed to do much damage to

leading industrial economies,

government officials said this

Yesterday brought optimistic

statements from officials in

Japan, West Germany and

France to the effect that weak

share prices and a dollar of his-

toric lows, while not accelerating

generally sluggish expansion.

had not yet had a marked

negative impact. Britain repor-

ted a new drop in unem-

Planned

ment in Washington meanwhile

said on Wednesday that

American firms planned to

increase investment in new plant

and equipment in 1988 by 7.3 per

cent, more than three times the

The US Commerce Depart-

ployment.

growth in 1988 of 2.2 per cent. GNP, the measure of all goods and services produced, grew at rates of 4.4 per cent in the first quarter and 2.5 per cent in the second quarter, after adjusting

The main reason for revising the third-quarter growth estimate up was stronger personal con-sumption spending than thought originally. Personal consumption spending than thought originally. Personal consumption expenditures, which account for about two-thirds of GNP, rose \$33.2 billion to \$2,530.7 billion in the third quarter and not by \$29.7 billion as

"This means a recession is unlikely next year unless there is a major retrenchment by consumers," said John Hagens, vicepresident of Wefa Group. "And that does not appear to be hap-

Hagens said he expected economic expansion next year at a 2.3

inflation. During the economy's vigorous third-quarter growth. the trade performance worsened as imports outpaced the growth in exports more than forecast a

month ago.

Exports went up \$22.6 billion to \$437.1 billion while imports increased \$28.4 billion to \$575.6 billion. As a consequence, the deficit on foreign trade between July and September was \$138.4 billion rather than the \$134.9 billion reported a month ago. Encouraged

But analysts were encouraged by the growth in exports, attirbuting it to a better US competitive position from a weaker dollar, and said part of the import increase occurred because of a temporary surge in imported oil that has now

"This is a firm indication that the dollar's slide is benefiting our export industries and that business is expanding to meet the increased demand," said Richard Rahn, chief economist for the US Chamber of Com-

Corporate profits also were swelled more than originally thought during the third quarter.
Profits of US corporations,
after six payments, rose a revised \$7.4 billion, or 5.5 per cent, between July and September to an annual rate of \$141.9 billion.

The profits gain was revised up from last month's estimate of 5.2 per cent and was stronger than the second-quarter increase of 4.3 per cent.

On Wednesday, the Commerce Department said US industry plans to increase spending on new plants and equipment in 1988 by 7.3 per cent after infla-tion to about \$420 billion. That would be about three times the estimated 1987 real increase of 2.3 per cent.

Every one of these indicators that comes out since the crash calls out strength," Sinai said, "they keep raising the question is there going to be any impact on the economy from the crash and right now it's an open question."

Analysts are watching retail sales closely, especially during the Christmas shopping season, for any indication of weakness that could slow economic expansion. Retail sales were relatively weak in November, rising only 0.2 per cent to \$126 billion, but did not fall despite the stock market slump.

Hagens said there are increasing signs the economy can grow even if consumers become more cautious because the United States is garnering more foreign business.

"The consumer as a source of strength is being placed by rising exports and by capital goods (or business investment)," Hagens said, "so we could continue the expansion through 1988."

The total value of the goods and services produced within the US economy, stated in 1982 to discount for inflation, gained by \$40.6 billion between July and September to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of \$3.84 trillion.

Agricultural insurance

scheme launched

KADUNA, Nigeria, Dec 18, (Opecna): The Nigerian government has released over \$9 million as extra-budgetary allocation for the implementation of a \$47 million agricultural insurance

Announcing the step at a ceremony here on Tuesday marking the official launching of the scheme, Nigerian President Ibrahim Babangida in a written message said that the amount was the government's contribution covering the initial reserve fund and administrative expenses for the first year of the programme's operation.

The President also announced that during the fifth national development plan the government would provide an additional sum of about \$33 million to the fund and another 5 million for administrative expen-

A further sum of more than \$14 million would be contributed bank, government agencies and the private sector.

The insurance programme launch coincides with the inauguration of the national small farmers credit scheme

Babangida said the govern-ment was considering a compre-hensive agricultural credit policy under which adequate funds would be made available for the agricultural sector at the right time at rates which would promise attractive returns.

World Business Summary

Kuwaitis invited to invest in Finland

FINLAND has invited Kuwniti investors to take part in highly specialised technical fields such, as metal engineering and telecommunications and explore other potentials of joint ventures in that country. In an exclusive interview with Kuna in Kuwait on Thursday a senior Fundsh official said before his departure that Thursday a senior Finnish official said before his departure that Finland was a flighly developed country? and the potential for investment there is very good. The deputy director general of the Finnish Foreign Ministry Alec Aalto, who signed here on Thursday a protocol between Kuwait and his country on economic, industrial and technical cooperation, said that besides promoting trade between these two friendly countries, his government was looking forward to Kuwaiti investments in sophisticated industrial fields to the best advantage of both sides.

He said he held wide ranging talks with Kuwaiti officials on commercial and industrial cooperation between the two countries and added that the protocol signed here, although touched upon these matters but it was noto the Kuwaiti industrialists and

these matters but it was upto the Kuwaiti industrialists and investors to put substance into it.

Aalto, who had arrived here on Monday after concluding similar tour to the UAE, said that Kuwait has presented to his

country a draft agreement for cooperation in the field of transportation which his government was actively considering.

He expressed optimism over the prospects of further promoting trade between his country and Kuwait. He said the fourth meeting of officials and businessmen from Kuwait and Finland is due to take place in Helsinki in near future to discuss a wide range of issues relating to bilateral economic cooperation between the two

Bonn little affected by stock market crash

FRANKFURT, West Germany, Dec 18, (Renter): October's stock market crash and a recent 11 per cent drop in the value of the dollar have had little effect so far on the West German economy, the Bundesbank said yesterday. The Central Bank's latest mon-thly report said it was still difficult to judge the effects of the turmoil and that financial markets remained acroous.

"But a series of factors argues in favour of the view that the negative effects on the West German economy will probably remain within bounds," it said. The West German economy is Western Europe's biggest. Economists say that its health and accelerated expansion are important if the financial crash of 1987 is not to herald a global slump. The Bundesbank also said that economic developments in other countries, not least the United States, had also turned out more positive than was at first feared

"As far as private consumption, the most important support of domestic demand, is concerned, these events scarcely give any reason to expect a noticeable restriction of the (West German) growth that had originally been expected," it said.

Norway faces problems with next year's budget

OSLO, Dec 18, (Reuter): Norway's government has won approval for a high-spending 1988 budget, despite warnings from economic analysts and opposition parties that it tails to address mounting problems treating the 'example grave well are state. The minority Labour government, with help from its traditional centrist allies obtained a parliamentary majority for its 243-billion crown (\$38.2 billion) financial package late on

Thursday night after long and heated debate.

"There's a storm brewing," Anders Tallerans, finance spokesman for the main opposition Conservative Party, told parliament

on Thursday night. "This budget you have voted though is not suited to meet the challenges and problems we face."

"The package didn't cut spending by nearly enough when it was presented in October," Stein Brunn, a securities analyst at Oslo Finans, told Renters. "Now all the government's assumptions about the oil price and wages make the whole thing look even more unrealistic. They will have to reassess it next year." Prime Minister Gro Harlem Brundtland's government had expected an oil price of just over \$18 a barrel next year — a vital source of income for Norway, Europe's biggest oil producer after the Soviet

WASHINGTON, Dec 18, (Reuter): The US economy grew at a robust annual rate of 4.3 per cent between July and September, the government said yesterday, bolstering confidence it could weather October's stock market collapse and keep expanding in 1988.

In its second and final revision Strongest

Sinai forecast real GNP

for inflation.

estimated a month ago. Retrenchment

per cent rate after discounting for

Governments sound bullish on global economy estimates 2.3 per cent rise this Street crash were a leading cause

US firms to increase investment in new plant and equipment in 1988

"I'm a lot less worried about a recession next year than I was a month ago," said David Wyss, senior vice-president of Data Resources Inc, a US economic affairs consultancy.

Economists said the boost in investment plans suggested US industry was shrugging off the effect of the 508-point drop on Wall Street on "Black Monday" October 19. Surplus

Positive factors cited by analysts include a prospect of cheaper oil, after the Opec organisation's failure this week to reach more than a makeshift agreement on curbing its surplus production in 1988, and lower interest rates. Many economists say high interest rates after the 1929 Wall

of the 1930s depression. The Japanese government yesterday painted a rosy economic

growth in Japan and a falling trade surplus. Stock up The United States has particularly urged Japan, and also West Germany, to export less and stoke up consumption so

picture for 1988, seeing rapid

nations' goods. By taking up the slack in total demand as the United States struggles to cut its trade and budget deficits, they would help avert a global recession.

that they buy more of other

Japanese officials, who declined to be identified, said domestic demand, not exports, would be the driving force behind Japan's economy in 1988. A surge in economic activity would push up imports while the government expected the economy to grow 3.8 per cent in the year starting next April, after rising 3.7 per cent this fiscal year.

The trade surplus is forecast to drop to \$81 billion in 1988/89, from 92 billion this year, the officials said.

The West German Bundesbank (central bank) said in a report yesterday that post-crash markets were volatile. "But a series of factors argues in favour of the view that the negative effects on the West German economy will probably remain within bounds," it said.

In Paris, French Finance Minister Edouard Balladur said yesterday there was evidence France's economy was buoyant des-pite the stock market crash.

iraq, Jordan sign trade

AMMAN, Dec 18, (AP): A topranking Iraqi delegation left Jordan today after signing an agreement to increase trade to \$900 million next year.

The official Jordan News Agency reported the departure of the delegation, led by first Deputy Prime Minister Taha Yassin Ramadan, which took part in meetings of the joint Jor-

Hundreds of trucks daily run

Jordan airline clears debt with aircraft sales AMMAN, Dec 18, (Reuter): Jorshares would be offered to com-Negotiations were in progress

dan's national airline is wiping off all its debts by aircraft sales and a lease-back deal to prepare for privatisation, its chairman said yesterday.

"Cash generated from aircraft sales and a full payment leaseback arrangement will be used to pay all our short-term and longterm debts and clean our balance-sheet," Royal Jordan-ian (RJ) chairman Ali Ghandour told Reuters.

Uncommitted "So we will have a surplus of cash and several lanes and assets uncommitted. The investor will be buying an airline with no

debts." he said in an interview.

Ghandour said RJ had signed a \$165-million deal with a consortium of Arab and foreign banks led by Banque Indosuez, Irving Trust Company and Bank

for the sale of two other Tristars.

he added. He did not say to whom they would be sold. The sales and the lease-back

deal, together with the sale of a Boeing 747 jumbo jet to British Caledonian Airways for \$64 million earlier this year, would raise enough to repay debts worth \$305 million, Ghandour Royal Jordanian, celebrating

its 24th birthday this week, will submit a final report on privatisation, including legal aspects, to the government in January, once outside auditors have approved a reassessment of the company's assets.

The timetable would depend partly on market conditions, but a maximum of 10 per cent of the

pany employees in the spring of 1987. Arab and foreign investors, as well as Jordanians, would eventually be invited to buy. Ghandour forecast a 1987

operating profit of more than 1.7 million dinars (\$5.2 million), the first in four years.

Net profit might reach 15 million dinars (\$45.6 million), he

said. The company made a net loss of 1.78 million dinars (5.4 million) in 1986. He attributed the better performance partly to the airline's new strategy of giving top priority to customer service. The policy was adopted a year ago when the airline changed its name from Alia and gave itself a

new grey, red and gold livery. "The changes were a good message to our employees and our international clients. They turned the airline around.

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danian-Iraqi higher committee. Ramadan and Jordanian

Prime Minister Zaid Rifai yesterday signed minutes of the committee meetings calling for the increase in trade and for expanded cooperation in industrial ventures, agriculture, energy and transportation. Jordan is one of Iraq's staunchest Arab allies in its 7-year-old war against Iran.

to Baghdad from Jordan's Red Sea of Aqaba, which has served as Iraq's main port since its own were closed by fighting in the early days of the war.

lease back five of its eight Lock-Japanese still interested in US property, says study

Analysts see higher economic growth for Japan

TOKYO, Dec 18, (Reuter) Japan's economy is expected to grow rapidly next year but the country will remain saddled with a huge trade surplus likely to rile its allies, economists surveyed by

Reuters said today. The economy is now poised for a full-fledged expansion domestically, because more companies are beginning to focus on the potential size of home markets," said Toru Nakakita, a senjor economist at the Research Institute on the National Econ-

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опау.

That should be good news for the United States, which has been urging Japan to turn its attention away from exports towards supplying its domestic

The shift would help cut Japan's trade surplus but not by enough to satisfy it trade part-

ners, the economists said. Analysts said economic growth will boom next year because of expansionary government policies, stepped-up spending on plant and equipment by Japanese companies and contin-

ued strong consumer demand. Nakakita expects the economy to grow a rosy 4.3 per cent in the fiscal year beginning next April. Forecasts of eight other

ween 3.2 and 4.2 per cent.

not yet released its own forecast for growth next year, economists said it will probably be around 3.7 per cent to 3.8 per cent. This compares with the gover-

Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank, which predicts 3.2 per cent growth, the lowest among those surveyed, said the economy is now well positioned to attain a steady,

next year. "The reason why we come up with the relatively low growth rate is that we are seeing slightly bigger imports than others," said

The bank estimates imports will increase by eight per cent in fiscal 1988, compared with the average six per cent growth forecast by others.

surplus, which measures trade in goods and services, economists

private institutions range bet-

Though the government has

the current fiscal year ending next March. Lowest

nment's 3.5 per cent estimate for

ing Economies said the countries would also be hurt by an expected economic slowdown in the domestically-generated growth United States, the main market for their exports.

Kosaku Furuta, chief economist at Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank.

The surge in growth will not result in a substantial decline in Japan's huge current account

The research institute on the national economy estimates

Japan's current account surplus will drop only by \$5.3 billion in fiscal 1988 to 77.3 billion.

The trade surplus, which only measures trade in goods, will show a \$17 billion decline, to 78.2 billion, it said. Meanwhile, a semi-govern-

mental research institute today

in Tokyo said Asia's newly industrialising countries will suf-fer economic slowdown next year as they come under mounting US pressure to cut their trade surpluses. Japan's Institute of Develop-

Snapped

"The US economy, on which the exports of this region largely depend, is expected to slow down somewhat, and ... the United States will increase pressure for appreciation of their currencies," the institute said in a

report. America, saddled with a huge trade deficit, has accused the Asian nations of deliberately holding down the value of their currencies to increase the competitiveness of their products in the US market.

If they bow to the US pressure,

will find it harder to export to America, a development which will cut down on their overall economic growth. The institute said Thailand's economic growth would slow to 5.5 per cent in 1988, from 5.7 per cent this year. Singapore's to 6.3

the newly-industrialising nations

per cent, from eight, South Korea's to 8.6 from 12.3, and Taiwan's to 7.3 from 10.1. The Philippines snapped out of a three-year economic stagna-tion in 1987 thanks to increased

government spending, it said. The country is expected to register growth of 4.9 per cent this year and 4.5 per cent in 1988. The institute forecast that growth in both Indonesia and Malaysia would pick up to 3.4 per cent next year, helped by sta-ble prices for their commodity exports. Indonesia's economy is expected to expand 3.2 per cent this year and Malaysia's, 2.8 per

Major Japanese investors remain keenly interested in acquiring office buildings and other properties in the United States despite the recent stock market crash, according to a survey released yesterday. The study, conducted both

before and after the "Black Mon-

day" crash of October 19 and

commissioned by a US property

cent. it said.

agency, found that 58 per cent of Japanese investors called their US property investments very

important.
It also found a shift from investing in New York and Los Angeles to other cities.

Buyers

investors have Japanese become big buyers of US property, attracted by high yields and the low dollar which make prices less expensive in yen terms. Cushman and Wakefield, the firm which commissioned the study, estimates that Japanese

firms own some \$4billion in US properties. Their holdings include the Exxon building in New York, the Equitable Building in Dallas and the Atlantic-Richfield Plaza in Los Angeles. "The crash did not change Japanese investment plans, especially in real estate," said Louis Harris, head of Louis Harris and Associates, which

conducted the study.
"It takes more than a Black
Monday to deter them," he said,

noting the long-term outlook taken by Japanese investors.

The survey was the result of the interviews in Japan with 45 senior executives at many of the major investment firms. These included estate, life insurance,

trust banks and securities firms.

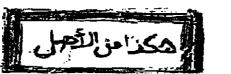
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London Stock Market Report

UK STOCKS ABOVE LOWS AFTER ECONOMIC STATISTICS LONDON, DEC 18 - SHARES REMAINED WEAK BUT WELL ABOVE THEIR LOWEST LEVELS AFTER BETTER THAN EXPECTED U.K. ECONOMIC NEWS, A FIRMER OPENING ON WALL STREET AND NEWS THAT 8P WOULD PROCEED WITH ITS BID FOR BRITOIL LIFTED THE MARKET, DEALERS SAID.

HOMEVER, AFTER THE U.K. GOVERNMENT VETOED BP'S 450P PER SHARE BID THIS MORNING, ONE DEALER SUMMED UP THE FEELINGS OF MANY BY SAYING "THE SITUATION IS VERY CONFUSING, WE ARE JUST GOING TO WAIT AND SEE WHAT THE TREASURY DOES NEXT."

AFTER NEWS OF THE GOVERNMENT VETO, THE FTSE 100 INDEX SLUMPED TO A LOW OF 1,681.5 AT 1125 GMT BUT AT 1530 HAD RECOVERED TO STAND JUST 3.9 POINTS DOWN AT 1,702.3.

BRITOIL HAD EARLIER SURGED TO 444P AFTER BP LAUNCHED ITS FULL BID BUT STOOD A NET 13P DOWN AT 409 AFTER REACHING A LOW OF AROUND 355 ON THE GOVERNMENT'S BLOCKING MOVE. BP WAS 2P LOWER AT 237 AFTER STANDING A FEW PENCE FIRMER EARLY ON.

ALSO SAID IT HAD RAISED ITS STAKE IN BRITOIL TO 29.9 PCT FROM 24.9 BY PURCHASES TODAY AT 450P. DEALERS SAID THEY WERE WAITING ON FURTHER MOVES FROM THE GOVERNMENT AND COMMENTS FROM BRITOIL WHICH WAS DUE TO HOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE LATER TODAY.

ATLANTIC RICHFIELD HAS SAID IT MIGHT BID FOR ALL OF BRITOIL IF BP MADE A SIMILAR MOVE BUT, SO FAR, NO REACTION HAS BEEN SEEN FROM THE U.S. COMPANY TO TODAY'S NEWS.

London Gold

LONDON, DEC 18 - GOLD BULLION DRIFTED BACK FROM THE MORNING'S HIGHS IN GENERALLY LIGHT DEALINGS TO CLOSE AT 480.00/480.50 DLRS AN OUNCE, LITTLE CHANGED FROM THURSDAY'S

CLOSE AT 479.50/480.00 DLRS. DEALERS SAID TRADE WAS MAINLY ROUTINE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY AND BOOKSQUARING, WITH MANY OPERATORS HAVING ALREADY UNMOUND

POSITIONS AHEAD OF THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY. GOLD MOVED AHEAD IN EARLY TRADE AND WAS FIXED SOME 4.50 DLRS HIGHER AT THE MORNING FIX AT 484.55 DLRS, FOLLOWING A REBOUND IN DIL PRICES AND A RALLY IN U.S. BULLION MARKETS OVERNIGHT.

London Money Market

LONDON, DEC 18 - MONEY MARKET RATES ENDED SLIGHTLY LOWER WHERE CHANGED AFTER A VOLATILE TRADING SESSION DOMINATED BY THE RELEASE OF U.K. MONEY SUPPLY DATA. INTERBANK RATES EXTENDED RECENT RISES BY UP TO 1/8 POINT IN

EARLY TRADING ON SPECULATION THE DATA WOULD SHOW A RISE OF SIX BILLION OR SEVEN BILLION STG IN NOVEMBER STERLING BANK LENDING. MOST DEALERS WERE SCEPTICAL ABOUT SUCH FORECASTS, ONE CALLING THEM "WILD", ANOTHER SAYING THAT SOME OPERATORS WERE TRYING TO TALK UP THE MARKET IN ORDER TO LEND FUNDS AT THE TOP. WHEN A RISE OF 3.2 BILLION WAS REPORTED AT 1130 GHT, RATES FELL BACK TO OVERNIGHT LEVELS AND DIPPED FURTHER THIS AFTERNOON

DMK FFR SFR HFL ECU SDR	DLR 1.8355/65 1.6178/6258 5.4945/5085 1.3172/3182 1.8280 1.27.65 1.39061 126.35/45 SDR	\$TG 1.8345/55 	DMK 1.6240/50 2.9755/90 338.10/70 81.20/31 112.53 2.06417 2.25793 	FFR 5.4950/80 10.0590/0740 29.485/645 	OPG NOO FIX FIX 130 FIX FIX CLS
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BUCKLEYS 172/0 173/0 BULMER HP 144/0 145/0	HIGGS+HIL 263/0 262/0 HILND.DIS 76/0 76/0	RATNERS 256/0 254/0 RHP GROUP 192/0 188/0
BURGESS 199/0 195/0 U-CPU COM 88/0 87/0	HILL SAM 800/0 803/0 U-HOBSON 48/0 48/0	RDFRN PLC 444/0 445/0 READICUT 71/0 70/0
CALEDONIA 313/0 315/0	HOGG GARD 150/0 147/0	REED GRP. 338/0 335/0 REED GRP. 184/0 183/0
CAMB INST 47/0 47/0 CAMB ELEC 198/0 198/0	HOGG TST 188/0 185/0 HOLHES PR 82/0 81/0	REFUGE GR 408/0 405/0
CANNING W 180/0 180/0 CAP.RADIO 161/0 161/0	HOMDEN GR 86/0 85/0 U-Hughes 77/0 76/0	REGALION 125/0 125/0 RENISHAW 134/0 133/0
CARADON 236/0 237/0 CARLESS C 92/0 93/0	IBSTK.JSE 154/0 151/0 ICE.FZ.FD 301/0 301/0	RENOLD 50/4 50/0 RENTKIL.G 165/0 165/0
CARLTON C 673/O 670/O CATER ALL 340/O 345/O	IMRY INTL 348/0 345/0 INCHCAPE 619/0 618/0	ROBINSON 350/0 348/0 ROCKHARE 82/0 82/0
CENTL ITY 418/0 413/0	INDPMOT 41/4 41/0	ROTHSCHLD 149/0 145/0
CHATER CN 301/0 301/0 CHARTERHA 25/0 25/0	INDPNOT W 12/0 12/0 INT.BU.CM. 83/0 80/0	ROMNEY 265/0 267/0
CHLORIDE 59/0 59/0 CHRISITES 373/0 365/0	INT.S+C.G 142/0 144/0 INVGDN.DS 161/0 160/0	ROTORK 155/0 155/0 RUBEROID 134/0 133/0
CHAS.CHUR 95/0 96/0 U-CIFER 21/0 21/0	INVSTR.C. 309/0 306/0 INT.CTY.NS 161/0 160/0	RGBY.P.CE 224/0 224/0 SAGA HOLS. 171/0 171/0
U-CLUFF 112/0 113/0 COALITE 327/0 325/0	JNSN.MATH 267/0 265/0 KALON 41/4 41/4	SALVESEN 139/0 139/0 SVLLE G.G 36/0 36/0
COATES BR 338/0 335/0	KENDY.BRK 221/0 227/0	SAVOY HTL. 710/0 700/0 SAVOY HT 02,08 10,00
CASE GP 52/0 51/0 COLLINS W 533/0 533/0	KETSON 69/9 68/0 KLWRT_BNS 314/0 311/0	SCAPA GRP 207/0 205/0
COLLINS A 420/0 420/0 CNTRL.SCR 39/0 39/0	KWIKFIT H 180/0 178/0 KWIKSAVE 303/0 301/0	SCOT.E.IT 110/0 110/0 SCOT.H.TS 136/0 137/0
COLOROLL 216/0 215/0 COSTAIN G 259/0 257/0	KLEIN OS 105/0 105/0 LADBRKE W 353/0	SCOT.IT 331/0 329/0 SCT.IT.WT 63/0 63/0
COURTS A 149/0 147/0 CREST NIC 191/0 189/0	LDN.INT.G 282/0 279/0 LAIRD GRP 240/0 237/0	SCOT.MET. 113/0 113/0 SCOT.MORT 91/0 90/0
CRODA INT 179/0 180/0	LAING(J)- 240/0 238/0	SCT NAT C 39/0 39/0
CROWTHER 109/0 108/0 CRYSTALAT 150/0 150/0	LAING(J)- 240/0 238/0 LAING PRO 308/0 305/0	SCT NAT 1 87/0 87/0 SCT NAT W 15/0 15/0
DARES EST 29/0 29/0 DAVIS G 163/0 162/0	LAMONT HD 227/0 223/0 LWRNCE.(W 99/0 100/0	SCND.ALL. 650/0 648/0 SEC.T.SCO 95/0 94/0
DAVY CP 145/0 144/0 DAWSON IN 195/0 194/0	LEIGH INT 164/0 163/0 LEX SERVC 277/0 274/0	U-SELECTV 16/0 16/0 SNR.ENG.G 52/0 51/0
DELTA GP 252/0 251/0	LILLEY-JF 37/4 37/0	SIEBE 294/0 293/0
U-DEWEY W 110/0 110/0 DRG PLC 401/0 400/0	LOGICA 254/0 255/0 LDN+N'THR 97/0	SIMON ENG 233/0 232/0 SINGER+FR 63/0 63/0
DIPLOMA 197/O 195/O DOBSON PK 115/O 114/O	LDN+MCHST 228/0 224/0 LDN+MET 135/0 135/0	600 GROUP 89/0 89/0 U-STH BUS 371/0
DOUGLAS R 226/0 228/0 DOWTY GP 169/0 168/0	LDN INV T 28/0 28/0 LASMO OPU 140/0 140/0	SLOUGH ES 240/0 239/0 SMITH D 328/0 330/0
DRAYTON J 763/0 760/0	LDN.UTD.I 173/0 170/0	SMITH WH-A 309/0 307/0
DRAYTON C 416/0 413/0 DUNHILL 149/0 150/0	LOVELL HD 219/0 218/0 ' LYNTON P& 305/0 305/0	SMITH WH-B 62/0 62/0 SMITHS IN 221/0 218/0
EAGLE TST 15/2 15/4 EAG TS RF 15/2 15/0	LON+BONAR 196/0 195/0 LON+CO (W 556/0 555/0	SOV.0+GAS 84/0 83/0 SPONG HLD 17/4 18/0
U-EALING 78/0 75/0 EDIN AMER 83/0 82/0	LONE HOME 310/0 305/0 LWT HDGS 728/0 733/0	SPRING RA 133/0 133/0 SPRX-SARCO 162/0 161/0
EDIN 17 139/0 137/0	M+G GROUP 233/0 230/0	STAKIS 77/0 76/0
U-ELDRGE 323/0 323/0 ELECTRA I 180/0 179/0	M.K.ELEC 700/0 698/0 MACARTH G 276/0 282/0	U-STNHOPE 168/0 167/0 STANLEY A 185/0 186/0
ELECTROCH 193/0 193/0 ELEC RENT 73/0 70/0	MCTHY+STN 429/0 430/0 MCLN.GLNV 515/0 515/0	STVLY.IND 190/0 'STEETLY 318/0 318/0
ELLIS EVA 147/0 148/0 EMAP PLC 184/0 181/0	MCKNIE.PL 280/0 280/0 MNSFLD.BW 460/0 460/0	STURT. URT 618/0 STORMGUAR 11/4 11/4
ELLIS GOL 56/0 56/0	MCALPINE 403/D 403/O	TV.SV.HLD 61/0 62/0
EMPIRE ST 251/0 251/0 EQUITY LA 448/0 445/0	MARLEY 138/0 136/0 MTSTN_THO 113/0 112/0	TYLR.WDR0 348/0 344/0 TELE.SOUT 310/0 308/0
ERSKINE H 178/0 175/0 ETAM 270/0 268/0	MATTHEWS 92/0 93/0 MEMEC (MEC 182/0 180/0	U-THD AVT 174/0 173/0 TIE RACK 118/0 118/0
EUROTHERM 244/0 245/0 EUROTH UT 245/0 245/0	MENZIES J 347/0 348/0 MERCHT.TS 131/0 131/0	TI GROUP 277/0 274/0 TIME PROD 152/0 151/0
EUROTN WT 14/4 15/0	U-MRRYDWN 323/0 325/0	TELEMETRI 25/0 26/0
EVERED HL 101/0 101/0 NNPAMET 171/0 170/0	MEYER INT 336/0 335/0	TELPH.REN 211/0 208/0 TEMPL.B.I 191/0 190/0
FKI BABCK 119/0 116/0 FARNELL E 154/0 153/0	U-NICROVT 34/0 33/0 MAI PLC 100/0 98/0	TOMKINS F 210/0 208/0 TOOTAL GR 111/0 110/0
FED.HOUSN 172/0 171/0 FENNER JH 153/0 153/0	MIDSUMMER 296/0 297/0 MINET HDG 450/0 448/0	TRINIOD G 36/0 36/0 TRINIOD W 25/0
FERGUSON 283/0 283/0	MONKS IT 183/0 181/0	TRSPRT.DE 217/0 215/0
U-FIELDS M 128/0 125/0 FINE ARTS 212/0 211/0	MORGAN GR 264/0 260/0 U-MRRIS W 15/0 15/0	TRAVIS+AR- 266/0 265/0 TR.IND&GE 102/0 101/0
FLENING J 168/0 166/0 F & C PAC 97/0 96/0	MOUNTLEIGH 152/0 152/0 MRGN CRUC 243/0 243/0	TR.PAC.IN 33/0 32/0 TRICENTROL 162/0 163/0
FINLAY J 87/0 88/0 FIRST LEI 443/0 442/0	MRGTE.MER 69/0 70/0 MORLAND+C 465/0 460/0	TR CTY LO 66/0 66/0 TP PROP 83/0 83/0
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FST. SCOT 349/0 350/0 FITCH LOV 270/0 271/0	NT CHLT H -111/0-111/0 NOWLEN J 353/0 350/0	TRITON ER 141/0 141/0
FORCOL IT 92/0 91/0 FOSECO MI 214/0 213/0	MUCKLOW G 133/0 133/0 MRRY.INC. 159/0 159/0	U-TSB CHA 139/0 140/0 TURRIFF C 225/0 225/0
FREEMANS 307/0 305/0 FLMG.FE.I 141/0 140/0	MRRY.INT. 148/0 147/0 MRRY.SM.M 130/0 130/0	T.TEES TV 473/0 473/0 TYNDALL H 136/0 137/0
FLMG.AM.1 98/0 97/0	N.TOKYO I 129/O 126/O	ULSTER TV 89/0 89/0
FLMG.MERC 156/0 154/0 FLMG.OSEA 131/0 129/0	NEWARTHILL 055/0 050/0 NEWAN-TONK 173/0 172/0	UNDERWOOD 119/0 118/0 UNI.DCOUN 793/0 795/0
F R GROUP 258/0 255/0 U-FLOYD 0 32/0 32/0	NMAN. IND 40/0 40/0 NEWS CORP 400/0	UNITECH 186/0 185/0
FRESHBAKE 95/0 95/0	NEWS INTL 220/0 220/0	UTD.SCITF 197/0 200/0
U-FORD M 90/0 90/0 GEEST PLC 225/0 225/0	NORCROS 351/0 350/0 NORMANS G 58/0 58/0	UTD.S+S G 58/O 62/O VG.INSTMT 353/O 355/O
GEI INTL 121/0 120/0 GERRD &NAT 325/0 328/0	NRFLK.CP. 24/2 24/4 NRFLK.CP. 32/4	VAUX GROU 482/0 480/0 VICKERS 144/0 142/0
GVTT ORIE 204/0 202/0 GESTETNER 142/0 141/0	N.AM.TRUS 311/0 311/0	VKING RS. 51/0 51/0
GLYNWED 433/0 431/0	N.ENG.IND 100/0 100/0 NDRDN+PCO 134/0 134/0	VIRGIN GP 102/0 103/0 VPI GROUP 288/0 283/0
GVTT ATLT 108/0 106/0 GVTT STRT 208/0 208/0	NORTON OP 130/0 128/0 OCEAN T&T 245/0 243/0	WADDINGTON 209/0 205/0 WAGON HDGS 295/0 295/0
GREYCOAT 321/0 320/0 U-GODWN.C 112/0 111/0	OCEANICS 21/0 22/0 OWNERS AB 66/0 66/0	W.GRNBNK 94/0 94/0 WARBURGS 313/0 305/0
GRMPN.TV 47/0 48/0	OXFRD INS 230/0 232/0	MRD.WHT.GP 282/0 281/0
GRA GRP 75/0 75/0	PAC.ASST. 92/0 93/0 PRKFLD GR 267/0 270/0	WTSON+PHIL 203/0 205/0 WATES CITY 158/0 155/0
GT PTLND 297/0 296/0 NT.UNVL.S 795/0 800/0	PEACHY PR 370/0 370/0 PENTLAND 111/0 110/0	WATTS B+B 274/0 273/0 U-WAYNE KR 47/0 48/0
GRNHL.WTL 189/0 188/0 GRN.KINGE 449/0 448/0	PHOENIX 90/0 90/0 PICKWICK 157/4 160/0	WELLMAN 43/4 44/0 WESTLAND 76/0 78/0
GUINS.PEA 88/0 86/0	PTTRD.GRN 303/0 303/0	WCRS GROU 365/0
HTV GROUP 230/0 228/0 HALL (M) 133/0 135/0.	POLLY-PEC 268/0 264/0 POWELL DU 317/0 317/0	WHEWAY PL 29/0 29/0 WIDNEY 34/0 35/0
HAMBROS I 187/0 187/0 HRRS.QLANS 114/0 113/0	PWRSCRN I 108/0 105/0 PREC.MET. 188/0 191/0	WILLMS.HDG 219/0 218/0 U-WMS.LEI 48/4 49/0
HRSN+CRSF 551/0 553/0 U-HWTHRN 25/0 25/0	PREEDY A 107/0 108/0 PRMR.C.O. 49/4 50/0	WILSON BW 135/0 135/0 WLSN(C)HD 301/0 301/0

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MOLV+DUD

WOLSELEY

U-WYKO GR

227/0 226/0 345/0 345/0 434/0 430/0

390/0 390/0

U-WYKO GR 57/0 58/0 YALEEVALO 231/0 230/0

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INDEX	LATEST	1/PREV	-DAYS/2	PREV-QR	PREV-YR
AUSTRALIA	242.5	240.4	240.2	421.7	263.2
AUSTRIA	212.9	211.2	209.0	257.5	263.5
BELGIUM	249.1	250.5	249.1	368.2	307.6
CANADA	346.0	350.3	351.3	434.7	333.2
DENMARK	343.9	299.5	343.4	393.3	364.8
FRANCE	295.8	299.5	293.7	415.2	408.1
GERMANY	162.1	163.6	159.8	241-9	259.8
HONG KONG	1532.2	1529.3	1484.3	2801.3	1778.9
ITALY	396.1	389.6	384.7	502.1	563.6
	1092.2	1087.1	1091.0	1266.4	945.0
JAPAN					
MEXICO	4824. 5	5926.3	4370.9	1984.9	10131.6
NETHERLNDS	214.2	214.7	213.9	308.5	257.1
NORMAY	384.1	380.8	389.5	698.2	448.9
SINGAPORE	442.1	438.4	431.3	789.8	511.3
SPAIN	214.6	209.8	204.9	266.5	192.8
SWEDEN	703.2	684.5	680.63	1007.7	814.8
SWITZ	140.8	140.8	139.3	213.9	200.8
U.K.	512.9	508.2	502.6	711.9	497.6
U.S.A.	225.9	407.8	226.2	300.0	228.0
HORLD	407.4	407.8	404.5	485.4	356.8
E.A.F.E.	762.1	754.6	752.7	850.0	614.9
EUROPE	355.6	353.3	349.6	444_9	356.9

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NEW	V(0)}		GENL MOTOR GEN SIGNAL	60/4 43/0	61/0 43/3
NAME	OPEN	CLOSE	GENCORP GENRAD INC	64/3 10/4	64/2 10/2 3/6
A BSCH COM ATLANTIC R	33/0 65/4	32/2 65/4	GEO INTL GEORGI-PAC GERBR SCIE	3/7 33/0 16/6	- 33/2 16/5
AAR CORP AETNA LIFE ALASKA AIR	16/6 45/2 14/5	16/6 44/7 14/6	GILETT GLOBAL MAR	31/7	31/2 1/3
ALCAN ALUM	26/3	26/2	GOLDEN MUG	10/6	10/6
ALCO STAND	19/3	19/5	GOODRICH	36/7	36/5
. AM CAP SEC	23/5	23/5	GOODYEAR	59/4	59/6
AMER CYANA	41/6	41/3	GOULD INC	10/7	11/0
AM FAMILY	14/5	14/7	GRACE WR	23/2	23/4
AM HOM PRO	70/6	69/1	GRAINGER	57/0	56/2
AM STADARD	38/0	37/5	GREYHOUND	25/5	25/6
AM STORES	51/0	49/4	GROLIER	8/7	8/7
amertt.	28/5	28/1	GRUPPIAN	19/4	19/3
Amoco CP	65/0	64/5	GULF RES-C	11/3	11/4
AMP INC	48/6	48/0	GULF-WESTN	74/0	73/6
AMPCO PITT	12/5	12/4	HALLIBURTO	24/3	24/4
AMR CORP	34/6	34/5	HALLWOOD	14/7	14/7
AMR GEN CO	30/0	29/4	HANNA MIN		17/6
AMRDA HESS	23/3	23/3	HARRIS CP	26/4	26/3
ANTHEN ELE	0	9/7	HARTMARX	19/5	19/6
APACHE CP	7/1	7/2	HECLA MIN	13/5	14/1
APACHE PET	3/4	3/4	HEILENN BR	40/0	39/5
ARMCO INC ASARCO INC	10/6 27/0	10/4 26/2	HEINZ HJ HEL CURTIS	43/0 26/5	42/0 26/4 17/6
ASHLND OIL ATLS CORP	58/1 33/7	58/7 0	HELM-PAYNE HERCULES HESSTON	18/0 45/4 0	45/2 3/7
AVERY INT AVNET INC	19/1 25/3 24/5	19/1 25/4 24/3	KEWL-PACK HEXCEL CP	56/4 38/2	55/4 38/0
AVON PRODS BELL ATLAN BELL CAN E	68/2 28/1	68/1 27/7	HILLENBRND HILLEN HTLS	24/2 70/4	24/0 69/3
BELL-HOW	60/0	60/0	HITACHI	94/2	94/2
BETH STEEL		17/1	HOMESTAKE	16/6	16/6
BEVERLY BNK BOSTON	17/2 7/6 23/4	7/7 22/5	HNDY-HARMN HOLIDAY C	16/0 22/4	16/0 22/2
BNK BSTN-A	48/2	48/0	HOME DEPOT	19/0	18/4
BNK N-YORK	26/2	26/0	HOME FED S	21/4	
BNK TR-NY	29/6	29/2	HONDA MOTE	102/0	100/2
BANKAMER	7/0	6/7		57/0	56/6
BNKAM SPEC	6/5	6/4	HOUGHTN MI	23/5	23/3
BOEING	36/6	36/2	HOUSTON IN	29/3	29/0
BOISE CASC	67/2	67/0	HEIGHES SUP	25/5	25/6
BORDEN	49/4	49/4		17/4	18/5
BORG-WARNE BOWATER	0 29/2	45/5 29/3	HUTTON EF	28/3 115/4	
BR TELECOM BRIGGS-STR	40/0 26/0	39/7	IC INDUST ICN PHARMA	31/3 6/3	
BRIST-MYER	43/0	43/2	ILL PUR CO	23/2	23/4
BRUNSWICK	14/7	14/1	INCO LTD	20/2	19/6
BURNDY CP C 3 INC	11/4	11/4	INGRSLL-RA	34/6 43/4	34/2 42/6
CABOT CORP CAESARS WO	32/4 20/2	10/5 31/3 20/2	J WALTER JOHNSN-JNS	59/6 78/3	59/4 77/3
CAROLI FRE .	19/7 13/5	19/7 13/4	K MART CP KAISER ALM		29/4 11/0
CAST-COOKE	17/0	17/4	KELLOGG	53/6	52/5
CATERPILLA	61/2	61/0	KERR-HCGEE		31/7
CBI IND	18/7 153/6	19/0	KEYSTONE	16/4	16/6 63/0
CENTEL CP	35/4	35/6	KIDDE INC KIMB-CLARK	49/7	49/5
CENTRO DAT	2/0		KLM R D AI	15/6	15/7
CHAMP INTL	34/5		KRAFT INC	48/1	48/7
CHAMP SPA	11/0	3/7	KROGER CP	25/1	24/5
CHARTER CO	4/0		LEAR PETRL	1/4	1/5
CHASE MANN CHEMED CP	20/1 32/0		LEHMAN LENNAR	11/1 16/2	11/1
CHEMIC NY	22/1	21/3	LILLY ELI	72/7	71/6
CHEVRON	37/4	37/2	LINCOLN NA	37/4	39/1
CHRYSLER	2/4	22/6	LITTON IND	70/3	70/0
CHUBB CORP	54/4	53/5		36/7	36/6
CHUR FR CH	6/3	6/4	LOCTITE CP	25/0	69/1
CIGNA CORP	45/4	45/4	LOEWS CORP	69/2	
CIN MILACR CIR CIT ST		- 20/1	:, LONE STAR		20/7
CIRCLE K	17/7 -	~ 17/3	LOWES	···· 2/4	16/5 2/3
CLARK EQUI	25/3	25/2		40/0	41/2
CLOROX	28/5	27/7		8/7	8/6
CHIPBLL RES	1/3	1/3	MACHILLAN	58/6	56/6
CHIPBLL SP	55/2	54/0	MANHATTAN	8/7	8/6
CND PACIFC	15/5	15/7	MANOR CARE	12/3	11/2
COACHMEN	7/0	6/7	MANU HANOV	24/5	24/3
COASTAL	25/2	24/7	MARRIOTT	29/3	29/1
COCA COLA	39/4	38/6	MASCO CORP	22/7	22/3
COLENAN CO	4/0 31/3	4/0 31/4	MATSU ELEC MATTEL INC	169/0 7/3	7/1
COLGATE	38/7	38/2	MCA INCORP	34/1	33/5
COLT INDS	10/3	9/6	MCDONALDS	44/6	43/6
COLUMB GAS	40/6	39/6	MCDONNELL	59/0	57/6
COMM EDIS	28/7	28/6	MCGRAW-HIL	0	49/1
CONAGRA	24/4	23/5	MEAD	33/0	32/2
CONS ED-NY	43/1	43/0	MERCK - CO	157/6	157/2
CONTINENTA	39/2	38/3	MEREDITH	26/0	27/4
CONTL ILLN	*02	*02	MERRILL LY	21/3	
CONTEL CP	29/6	29/6	MESA OFFSH	1/1	1/1
CONTR DATA	22/0	22/1	MOBIL DIL	35/6	36/0
COOPER T-R	28/4	28/3	MOHAWK DAT	0	51/4
COOPER CON	8/1	8/2	MONSANTO	78/7	78/2
CORNING GL	50/3	50/2	MORGAN JP	31/6	31/3

CRAY RES

CULLINET

DATA GEN

DATAPOINT

DAYTON HUD

DIG EQUIP

DEERE-CO

DIEBOLD

DELTA AIR DIAMOND SH

DISNEY W DOVER CORP

DOM CHEM

DRESSER

DREYFUS

DOW JONES

DUKE POWER

DUN BRAD

DUPONT

DUQUESNE

DYNAMICS

E SYSTEMS

EASTMAN K

EATON CORP

EMERY AIR

ENHART CP

ETHYL CP

FAM DOL ST

FED EXPRSS

FIELDCREST FIN COR-AM

FIRESTONE

FMC CORP

FORT HOWAR

FOXBORO CO

FRCHLD IND

FST BOSTON

FST CHICAG

FST CTU BK

FST NAT BC

GAF CORP

GALVESTON

GATX CORP

GEARHART GEN DATA

GENL DYNAM GENL ELECT

GEN HOST GEN HOUSIAR GEN INSTR

GCA CP

EXXON

DANIEL IND

72/0

6/6 23/3

4/2

28/4

133/5

39/7

8/1

38/0

56/6 57/2

88/3

30/1

23/4

23/5

42/7

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27/6

49/2

5/4 22/1 18/1

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39/5

15/2 1/5

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136/4 36/2 40/0 8/2 37/7

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42/4 50/4 81/6

11/5 16/6

27/6

49/3 77/6

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39/6 15/0 1/5

30/2

76/4 33/6 24/0 8/7 19/5

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418/2

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44/7

36/5 1/5 37/5

2/6

48/0 45/5

8/0 7/3

32/7

NAT DISTIL

NAVSTAR

NCR CORP

69/1

4/3

62/1

NYSE LARGEST PER CENT CHANGE

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

69/6

4/3 62/1

. cov. utr. (é	48/6	48/0	NEV ENG EL	22/2	22/1	SF STH PAC	46/6
GENL MILLS GENL MOTOR	60/4	61/0	NEW PLA RE	14/0	14/0	SHELL TRAN	71/0
GEN SIGNAL	43/0	43/3	NEWELL CO	26/1	26/2	SHER PLOU	48/6
GENCORP	64/3	64/2	NEWMONT MI	35/0	35/5	SHERW-WILL	24/1
GENRAD INC	10/4	10/2	NEWNAT GLD	39/1	40/0	SINGER CO	49/6
GEO INTL	3/7	3/6	NICOR INC :	22/2	22/0	SMITH INT SMITHK BEC	6/2 49/2
GEORGI-PAC	33/0	33/2	NL INDS	5/5	·5/3 11/0	SONY CP	39/0
GERBR SCIE	16/6	16/5	NOBLE AFF	10/7 6/6	6/5	SOURCE CAP	32/2
GILETT	31/7	31/2 1/3	NORD RESOU	24/6	25/5	SOUTHERN	21/4
GLOBAL MAR GOLDEN NUG	1/3 10/6	10/6	MORTHROP NORTON	43/6	43/6	SPERRY CP	14/3
GOODRICH	36/7	36/5	NOVO IND	23/2	23/0	SQUARE D	51/0
GOODYEAR	59/4	59/6	NUCOR CORP	36/2	35/5	SQUIBB	58/4
GOULD INC	10/7	11/0	OAK INDS	1,00	1,00	STALEY AE	
GRACE VIR	23/2	23/4	OCCIDENTAL	23/3	23/0	STERL DRUG	51/1
GRAINGER	57/0	56/2	OCEAN DRIL	14/4	15/1	SUN CO. INC	49/6
GREYHOUND	25/5	25/6	OGDEN CORP	26/6	26/2 18/5	SUNDSTRAND SUNSHINE M	38/4 4/1
GROLIER	8/7 19/4	8/7 19/3	OR ED CO	19/2 13/1	13/2	SUPER VAL	16/6 -
GRUMMAN Gulf Res-C	11/3	11/4	OLIN CORP	40/1	40/3	SW AIRLINE	14/5
GULF-WESTN	74/0	73/6	OMNICARE	6/3	6/3	SW GAS	20/0
HALLIBURTO	24/3	24/4	ORION PICT	11/2	11/1	SUN BELL	34/5
HALLWOOD	14/7	14/7	PAINE WEB	15/1	15/0	TANDY CORP	33/2
KIM ANNAR	17/4	17/6	PAN AK W A	3/2	3/2	TECO ENERG	23/6
HARRIS CP	26/4	26/3	PANHANDLE	20/4	20/4	TEKTRONIX	24/4
HARTNARX	19/5	19/6	PARK ELECT	15/5	15/4 2/7	TELEDYNE TELEX CORP	304/0 55/0
HECLA MIN HEILEMN BR	13/5 40/0	14/1 39/5	PARKER DRI	2/6	37/1	TERADYNE	16/6
HEINZ HJ	43/0	42/0	PARKER HAN	37/4 2/7	2/7	TESORO PET	12/0
HEL CURTIS	26/5	26/4	PATROK PET PAYLSS CSH	10/6	10/4	TEX AMER B	3/0
HELM-PAYNE	18/0	17/6	PULLMAN CO	4/4	4/4	TEX EAS TR	21/6
HERCULES	45/4	45/2	PC IND8-96	Ö	90/4	TEXACO INC	36/7
HESSTON	0	3/7	PENN CENTR	44/5	44/4	TEXAS IND	30/5
KEWL-PACK	56/4	55/4	PENNEY JC	45/6	45/0	TEXAS INST	50/3
HEXCEL CP	38/2	38/0	PENNZOI L	78/0	75/2	TEXTRON	19/2
HILLENBRND	24/2	24/0	PEOPLES EN	16/6	15/7	TIDEWATER	4/6
HILTN HTLS	70/4	69/3	PEPS1CO	32/3	31/5	TIGER INT TIME INCOR	11/6 79/6
HITACHI HOMESTAKE	94/Z 16/6	94/2 16/6	PERKIN-ELM	23/7	23/4	TIMES MIRR	72/2
HNDY-HARMN	16/0	16/0	PFIZER	45/1	44/4 44/4	TIMKEN	53/0
HOLIDAY C	22/4	22/2	PHELPS DOD PHILIP MOR	44/6 90/0	89/3	TORCHMARK	24/4
HOME DEPOT	19/0	18/4	PHILIPS PE	10/2	10/3	TOSCO CORP	1/4
HOME FED S	21/4	21/1	PILLSBRUY	31/0	30/7	TOYS R US	29/7
HONDA MOTR	102/0	100/2	PINNACLE W	27/6	27/4	TRACOR INC	32/4
HOMEYWELL	57/0	56/6	PITN-BOWES	39/5	39/5	Transamer	27/7
HOUGHTN MI	23/5	23/3	PITTSON	10/4	10/3	TRANSCO EN	22/4
HOUSTON IN	29/3	29/0	POLAROID	24/0	24/1	TRANSCO EX	5/0
HUGHES SUP	25/5	25/6	PORTLIND GE	21/4	. 22/0	TRAVELLERS	34/3
HUTTON EF	17/4 28/3	18/5 28/3	PRIME COMP	14/7	14/7	TRINITY IN	24/6
IBM	115/4	28/3 115/0	PRIME INNS	29/7 27/7	30/0	TW CORP	15/0
IC INDUST	31/3	30/5	PRIMERICA	25/7	25/5 86/0		20/6
ICN PHARMA	6/3	6/4	PROCTER GM PLIEBLO INT	87/0 14/2		U PACIFIC	53/2
ILL PUR CO	23/2	23/4	PUGET SP-L	19/0	18/7	UTD BRAND UTD TECH	46/0 34/2
INCO LTD	20/2	19/6	PULTE HONE	7/4	7/1	UNILEVER	58/0
INGRSLL-RA	34/6	34/2	QUAKER OAT	42/6		UNION CAMP	36/0
INTL MINER	43/4	42/6	QUAKER COR	16/1		UNION CARE	22/0
J WALTER	59/6	59/4	QUESTAR	31/3	31/2	US SHOE	14/0
SKI-KSNHOL	78/3	77/3	RAMADA INN	6/2	6/2	USX CORP	29/1
K MART CP	28/7	29/4	RANGER OIL	4/2	4/2	US WEST	51/5
KAISER ALM		11/0	RANGER OIL	5/7		USAIR GRP	33/6
KELLOGG	53/6	52/5	RAYCHEM	41/0	40/7	VALERO EN	4/6
KERR-MCGEE	31/6 16/4	31/7	RAYMARK	7/0	7/2	VALLEY IND	1/6
KEYSTONE KIDDE INC	10/4	16/6 63/0	RAYTHEON	64/3	65/3	VARCO INTL	3/4
KIMB-CLARK	49/7	49/5	REGAL INTL	,15	,14	VARIAN ASS	23/0
KLM R D AI	15/6	15/7	REYNOLD ME RJR NABISC	47/4 48/0	48/0 47/5	W UNION	2/0
KRAFT INC	48/1	48/7	ROCHES G-E	14/7	14/5	U PAT PEPP	24/7
KROGER CP	25/1		ROCKAHAY C	6/5	6/5	WAINOC OIL	4/6
LEAR PETRL	1/4	1/5	ROCKWELL	18/7		HAL MART	25/2
LEHNAN	11/1	11/1	ROHR INDS	16/4	16/5	WALGREEN	32/1
LENNAR	16/2	16/4	ROLLINS EN	17/0		WARNER COM	29/0
LILLY ELI	72/7	71/6	ROLLINS IN	15/0	14/6	Warner Lam	66/4
LINCOLN NA	37/4	39/1	ROPER CORP	14/6	14/6		36/7
LITTON IND	70/3	70/0	RORER GRP	36/2	36/4	WASH GAS L	20/6
LOCKHEED	36/7 25/0	36/6 24/6	ROMAN COMP	4/4	4/2	WENDY INTL	5/0
LOCTITE CP LOEWS CORP	-	69/1	ROYL DUTCH	105/2		West Co Westinghse	16/0 48/4
LOM-NETTLE	17/6		RYDER SYST	25/2	24/4 14/1	WILLIAMS C	21/2
LONE STAR			RYLAND GRP	14/2	177 [. UII.J.7 AMC. E	5/Qu.
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LOMES	40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7	16/5 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6	SABINE SALOHOM SARA LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS	36/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0	29/5 11/4 18/1 34/7 28/4 67/6 13/0	WINDEBAGO	8/2 12 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2
HOMES	40/0 40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7 12/3	16/5 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2	SABINE SALCHOM SARÀ LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO	36/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4	29/5 11/4 18/1 34/7 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5	CHEME-DIXIE HOOLWORTH HORLDCORP WRIGLEY HYLE LABS XEROX CP	8/2: 0 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1
HOMES HOMET ASS H MARIETTA HA COM INC HACHILLAN HANHATTAN HANOR CARE HAMU HANOV	40/0 40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7 12/3 24/5	16/5 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2 24/3	SABINE SALOMON SARA LEE SCHLIMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO SEAGRAN CO	18/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4 56/0	29/5 11/4 18/1 34/7 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5	WINNEBAGO	8/2 2 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1 21/2
HOMES	40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7 12/3 24/5 29/3	16/5 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2 24/3 29/1	SABINE SALOMON SARA LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO SEAGRAN CO SEAGULL EN	36/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4 56/0 16/4	29/5 11/4 18/1 34/7 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5 55/4 16/3	WINDEBAGO	8/2: 0 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1 21/2 2/3
HOMES	47/0 2/4 40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7 12/3 24/5 29/3 22/7	16/5- 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2 24/3 29/1 22/3	SABINE SALOMON SARÀ LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO SEAGRAM CO SEAGULL EN SEALED AIR	36/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4 56/0 16/4 35/4	29/5 11/4 18/1 34/7 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5 55/4 16/3 36/0	WINDEBAGO	8/2: 0 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1 21/2 2/3 415/6
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HOMES HOMESTA HA COM INC MACHILLAN MANHATTAN HANOR CARE HAND HARRIOTT HASCO CORPHATSU ELEC	47/0 2/4 40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7 12/3 24/5 29/3 22/7	16/5- 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2 24/3 29/1 22/3	SABINE SALOMON SARÀ LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO SEAGRAM CO SEAGULL EN SEALED AIR SEARS ROE SERV CORP	18/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4 56/0 16/4 35/4 34/0 21/6	29/5 11/4 18/1 18/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5 55/4 16/3 36/0 33/2 22/1	WINDEBAGO	8/2 0 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1 21/2 2/3 415/6 14/7 14/6
HOMES HOMESTA HA COM INC HACHILLAN HANDR CARE HANDY HANDY HANDY HASCO CORPHATSU ELEC HATTEL INC	2/4 40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7 12/3 24/5 29/3 22/7 169/0 7/3 34/1	16/5- 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2 24/3 29/1 22/3 168/7 7/1	SABINE SALOMON SARÀ LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO SEAGRAM CO SEAGULL EN SEALED AIR SEARS ROE SERV CORP	18/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4 56/0 16/4 35/4 34/0 21/6	29/5 11/4 18/1 18/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5 55/4 16/3 36/0 33/2 22/1	WINDEBAGO	8/2 0 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1 21/2 2/3 415/6 14/7 14/6
HOMES H MARIETTA HA COM INC HACHILLAN HANHATTAN HANOR CARE HANOV HANOV HARRIOTT HASCO CORP HATSU ELEC HATTEL INC HOCA INCORP	40/0 8/7 58/6 8/7 12/3 24/5 29/3 22/7 169/0 7/3	16/5- 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2 24/3 29/1 22/3 168/7 7/1 33/5 43/6 57/6	SABINE SALOMON SARÀ LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO SEAGRAM CO SEAGULL EN SEALED AIR SEARS ROE SERV CORP	18/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4 56/0 16/4 35/4 34/0 21/6	29/5 11/4 18/1 18/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5 55/4 16/3 36/0 33/2 22/1	WINDEBAGO	8/2 0 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1 21/2 2/3 415/6 14/7 14/6
HOMES HOMET ASS HOMETTA HA COM INC HACHILLAN HANDR CARE HANU HANDV HARRIOTT HASCO CORP HATSU ELEC HATTEL INC HCA INCORP HCDONALDS HCDONNELL HCGRAU-HIL	**************************************	16/5- 2/3 41/2 8/6 56/6 8/6 11/2 24/3 29/1 22/3 168/7 7/1 33/5 43/6 57/6 49/1	SABINE SALOMON SARÀ LEE SCHLUMBERG SCOTT PPR SCOTTYS SE BANK CO SEAGRAM CO SEAGULL EN SEALED AIR SEARS ROE SERV CORP	18/1 36/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/4 56/0 16/4 35/4 34/0 21/6	29/5 11/4 18/1 18/1 28/4 67/6 13/0 18/5 55/4 16/3 36/0 33/2 22/1	WINDEBAGO	8/2 0 32/7 6/7 69/1 12/2 56/1 21/2 2/3 415/6 14/7 14/6
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CEN ME PUR	15 7/8	+ 5/8	TEXAS AIR 12 - 1/4
STRAGE TEC	1 1/4	- 1/8	FUR VAULT 3 3/8 - 1/8
amer expr	23 1/4	+ 1/4	NY TIMES A 31 3/8 + 7/8
PHILLIPS P	10 3/4	+ 3/8	MCGREGOR 3 + 1/2
Travelers	34	+ 3/8	AMDAHL CP 34 3/4 + 1/2
TEXACO	37 1/4	+ 1 1/4	DOME PETE 5/8 UNCH
USX CORP	29 1/4	+ 5/8	CARDIS CP 13/16 - 1/16

Wall Street Statistics *Composite*

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SE VOLUME 150,773,900	AMEX VOLUME 7.168.110
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FOCKS DOWN 378	STOCKS DOWN 203
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Wall Street Market Report

NEW YORK, Dec 18: Wall Street stocks continued their early rally with blue chips recovering much of their drop yesterday. Brokers said gains were supported by a rising dollar after its fall to low after low against the yen and mark, and rising bond prices, which meant lower yields.

Federal Reserve Chairman Greenspan also helped in calling October's huge US trade deficit an aberration, brokers said.

The Dow 30 index was up 32 at 1957 after tailing 50 yesterday. Gainers led declining

issues by two-to-one. Gold mining prices fell as the dollar rose. ASA Ltd was down 3/4 to 49-1/2 and Newmont Gold off 1/1/8 at 39.

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International Bond Highlights

Duesselderf, Dec 18 — The Norwegian Mortgage Association for Industry and Trade is issuring a live year, 75 mln mark Buliet Eurobond with a 5-1/4 pct coupon and priced at par, sole lead manager Westdeutsche Landesbank Girozentrale said.

Zurich — Australia's Ansett Transport Industries Ltd is launching 50 mln Swiss francs of 5-3/8 pct seven year, straight notes at 100-1/2 pct, lead manager Handelsbank Natwest said.

Paris — Credit Commercial de France said it is lead managing for its own account a 1.2 billion franc domestic bond in six variable rate tranches.

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BAYER	256.6 267.0	258.4 - 268.0
BAYER HYP	317.5	323.0
BAYER VER	319.0	319.0
BBC	286.5	286.0
BHF	323.0	323.0
BMN CKEMIE-VER	453.0 0	459.0 120.0
COMMERZEK	222.5	226.5
CONTI GUMM	225.0	230.0
DAINER BEN	603.0	613.0
DEUTSC BAK	408.5	414.5
DLW DRESDWER B	300.0 233.0	304.0
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HORTEN	156.0	164.0
HUSSEL HLD	450.0	442.0
KALI SALZ	125.0	124.9
KARSTADT	442.0	448.8
KAUFHOF	417.0	412.0 78.2
KLOECK N	79.0 0	81.0
LINDE	518.0	528.0
LUFTHANSA	125.5	126.0
MAN	137.0	138.0
KANNESMAN	113.8	114.1
MERCEDES METALLGES	492.5 239.0	500.5 241.5
NIXDORF	562.0	570.5
NORSK HYD	34.00	35.00
PHILIP KON	616.5	621.0
PORSCHE	410.0	430.0
PREUSSAG PWA	120.0 179.5	123.0 178.0
RHEIN	219.0	220.0
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RHEINMETAL	241.0	243.0
. SALAMANDER	266.0	268.0
SCHERING	363.0	371.0
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THYSSEN .	108.2	108.5
VARTA	231.0	236.0
VEBA	274.0	274.0
VEW	162.5	162.5
VOLKSWAGEN	227.5	235.0
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C R TUNNEL	13.70	13.30
CHEUNG K	6.30	6.20
CHINA GAS	13.40	12.80
CHINA L-P	16.60	16.20
CHINA MOTR	14.90	13.90
COSMO PROP	0	5.55
EVERGO IND	.33	.33
FAR EAST C	.70	.67
GEN CRIENT	0	44.00
H C DEVELP	8.00	7.70
H S INDEX	180.46	142.23
HANG LUNG	4.45	4.35
HANG SENG	26.00	25.40
HAW PAR BR	0	21.00
HK ELEC CO	. 7.40	7.20
HK KOWLOON	5.60	5.45
RK LAND CO	7.25	7.20
HK SHAN BK	7.00	6.85
HC SHAN HT	17.30	17.60
#K TELE CO	11.80	11.60
Kutch Wham -	. 6.70	6.85
IND EQ PAC	7.00	7.00
JARDINE M	9.50	9.40
KOULDON M	9.55	9.30
HEN HORLD	6.85	6.75
PAUL Y-CON	1.45	1.44
REALTY DEV	5.10	5.10
SHKCO	1.68	1.69
SHKPROP	8.35	8.30
SINE DARBY	1.35	1.38
STELLIX NEG	4,50	3.85
SMIRE PAC	14.40	14.00
T.V.B.con	11.10	11.10
IA! CHEUNG	3.02	2.97
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		NIP KKOKAN	307	310
		NIP OIL	1110	1100
		NIP STEEL	409	414
		NIP YUSEN	535	533
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TOKYO STOCKS CLOSE LOWER IN MODEST TRADE TOKYO, DEC 18 - SHARE PRICES EASED IN LISTLESS TRADE BUT CLOSED ABOVE EARLIER LOWS AS SOME FRESH INCENTIVES EMERGED, BROKERS SAID.

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THE NIKKEL AVERAGE LOST 72.86 POINTS, OR 0.32 PCT, TO 22,826.97. EARLIER IT FELL TO 22,739.40. THE INDEX GAINED

80.41 ON THURSDAY. DECLINES LED ADVANCES TWO TO ONE IN TURNOVER OF 550 HLN SHARES AGAINST 500 HLN ON THURSDAY, NEWS FROM WASHINGTON THAT CONGRESSIONAL PANELS HAD REACHED A TENTATIVE AGREEMENT ON A 23 BILLION DLR PACKAGE OF TAX INCREASES OVER THE NEXT TWO YEARS ENCOURAGED INVESTORS, SOME BROKERS SAID.

MARKET SENTIMENT WAS BOOSTED BY THE POSSIBILITY OF LESS VOLATILE CURRENCY MOVEMENTS RESULTING FROM THE AGREEMENTS, THEY ADDED. WALL STREET'S HEAVY LOSS ON THURSDAY AND DOUBTS CONCERNING THE DOLLAR HAD CAUSED THE EARLIER FALL, BROKERS

A RELATIVELY STABLE PERFORMANCE BY THE DOLLAR SPURRED BUYING OF BLUE CHIP STOCKS NEAR THE END OF THE DAY, OTHER

BROKERS SAID. NIPPON TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE REMAINED UNCHANGED AT 2.27 MLN YEN, WHICH WAS PERCEIVED AS A GOOD SIGN OF OVERALL MARKET

HEALTH, BROKERS SAID. SECURITIES HOUSE, PHARMACEUTICAL, REAL ESTATE, BANK AND

GAS ISSUES LED THE DECLINE. DRUG SHARES FELL ON PROFIT TAKING, AND FINANCIALS SUFFER DURING TIMES OF MARKET UNCERTAINTY, BROKERS SAID. DECLINES IN PROPERTY VALUES AND CONCERN ABOUT GOVERNMENT POLICY AIMED AT REDUCING LAND PRICES PULLED REAL ESTATES DOWN, THEY ADDED.

PULP/PAPER SHARES ADVANCED, FOLLOWED BY SLIGHT GAINS IN

THE AUTO, COMMUNICATIONS AND INSURANCE SECTORS. DOLLAR-WARY INVESTORS FELL BACK ON PULP/PAPER AS A SAFE BET, BROKERS SAID. PROMISING DOMESTIC AUTO SALES FIGURES HELPED PROMOTE CAR ISSUES, THEY SAID.

Nomura Securities

WEEK OF DEC. 14 - 18 WEEKLY FORECAST LAST WEEK SAW REVERSAL OF MY AND TOKYO MARKET SLIDE WITH DOW UP 136 PTS. IN THREE DAYS--DESPITE WORRIES CAUSED BY DROPPING DLR. POOR TRADE FIGURES, RISING INT. RATES, ETC. GOOD NEWS WAS FOUND IN INF PACT AND BUDGET DEFICIT CUT PROCEEDINGS, SIGNALING POSI-TIVE SHIFT IN HET FOCUS. TOKYO MARKET MOOD HAS BRIGHTENED AS TRANSACTION LEVELS INCREASE -- 358.3 BIL. Y. UP FROM 343.5 BIL. Y THO WKS AGO-- AND NET SELLING BY FOREIGNERS DROPS-- DOWN 57.1 BIL. Y FROM OCTOBER. LAST WEEKS POSITIVE TREND WILL CONTINUE THIS WEEK AS ENERGY AND CONFIDENCE GRADUALLY RETURN TO THE MARKET.

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	(255214112			JOR NATIONAL BANK	2.55	2.55
ļ		OPNG	CLSG	JOR PAPER CARDEROG		3.30
i	AL HIMME HIMERALS					2.50
I	AL-NISER EXCHANGE					1.23
ı	VE-MIDEK EVCUMBE	1 17	1 16	JOR PRESS/PUBLISH.		
ı	ALA-ADDIN COMPANY ARAB ALUMINUM IND.	1.17	1.13	JUN PRESS/PUBLISH.	2.11	2.11
ı		1.85	1.63	JOR PRINTING/PACK.		
Į	arab bank	121.5		JOR ROCK WOOL IND.		0.63
ł	ARAB CHEMICAL DIER		5.30	JOR SECURIT, CORP	0.91	0.91
i	ARAB FINANCE CORP.		1.48	JOR TIMBER PROCES.	C.17	0.17
I	ARAB INSURANCE	1.05	1.00	JOR WOOD INDUSTRY	0.97	0.97
I	ARAB INSURANCE ARAB INT.INV/TRAD.			JOR WORSTED MILL	4.62	4.66
Į	ARAB INT.UNION INS	0.91	0.90	JOR. PETROLIUM REF		7.55
Ì	ARAB INTER HOTELS					
İ	ARAB JOR/INVST/BK		2.20	JOR.FRENCH INS. JOR.INV.FIN.CORP.	1 05	4.50
	ARAB PAPER CON/TRD		0.25	JUK.INV.FIN.LUKP.	7.02	
				JORDAN BREWERY JORDAN DAIRY	3.65	3.65
į	ARAB PHARMA.MANF.		2.19	JORDAN DAIRY	1.03	1.84
Į	ARAB PHARMA/CHEM ARABIAN SEAS INS.	0.76	0.75	JORDAN GULF BANK	1.27	1.28
Į	ARABIAN SEAS INS.	1.65	1.65	JORDAN GULF INS.	1.01	1.01
I	BANK OF JORDAN BELGIUM INSURANCE CAIRO AHHAN BANK	16.90	16.90	JORDAN INSURANCE	13.90	13.50
l	BELGIUM INSURANCE	1.00	0.95	JORDAN ISLANIC BAK		1.90
ı	Cairo ahhan bank	21.50	22.10	JCRDAN KUWAIT SANK		1.68
I	DAR AL SHAAB PRESS	0.32	0.31	IORELI TANITHE	2 44	2 20
ı	DAR ALDAWA DV/INV.	1.50	1.50	LIVESTOCK/POULTRY	C. 70	0.71
ı	DARCO/INVEST/HOUS.	0.46	0.45	LIVESTOCK/POULTRY MAS INDUSTRIES	0.40	0.73
İ	DEVELOP/INVST/FAS.			HIDDLE EAST HOTEL	0.69	0.40
ı	FINANCE/CREDIT/COR	0.60	0.60	MIDDLE EAST INS.	60.00	
ŀ	GENERAL INSURANCE			MINERALS RESEARCH		0.60
I	GENERAL INVESTMENT			NAT.FIN.INVEST CO		
ı	CEUFDAI MINNING	1 45	1 55	NAT/CABEL/WIRE/MF	0.07	0.07
ı	HOLY LAND INS.	1.15	1.17	NATIONAL AHLIA INS		
l	IND./MATCH JEHCO	0.70	0.69	NATIONAL INDUSTRY		0.51
ı	INDSTRL DEVLPT BAK		1.36	NATIONAL PORTFOLIO		
l	INDSTRL/CONH/AGR.	1.47		MATIONAL PORTFOLIO	0.73 2.84	0.73
l	INDUSTRIAL INVEST			NTNLSHIPPING LINE		2.80
l	INTERMED/PETRO/CH	1.11			0.85	
l	INTERMED/PETRO/CH INTERN.CON/INV	0.64	0.64	ORIENT DRY BATTARY		0.28
l	IRBID ELECTRICITY	1.01	1.01	PETRA BANK	2.05	2.06
	ISLAMIC INV. HOUSE	0.44	0.64	PETRA ENTERPRISES		
	J.PRESS FOUNDATION			PETRA JOR.INS.	0.50	
	JERUSALEM INS.	1.40		PHILADELPHIA INS.	8.72	
	JO TOBACCO/CIGARET			RAFIA INDUSTRIAL	0.80	1
	JOR CEMENT FACT.	1.04	14.00	WEVE FRIVIE THAT	0.46	0.48
	JOR CERAMIC FACTOR	1.04	1.04	SPINING WEVING . THE HOUSING BANK	0.97	
						1.70
		25.01		Out (ED INSOMME		2.50
	JOR ELECTRIC POWER JOR FINANCE HOUSE	1.77	1.24	UNIVERSAL CHEM.IND		1.27
					0.95	
	JOR GLASS INDUSTRY		0.91	WOOLEN INDUSTRIES	0.69	0.70
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JOR INCUSTRY CHEM. 1.34 1.28 JOR INS AND FIN. 1.07 1.08

JOR INS AND FIN. 1.07 1.08 JOR LINE AND BRICK 0.16 0.16

JOR HANAG/CONSULT

PHILIPPINES MAKATI

JOR HOTEL TOURISM 2.50 2.50 YARHOUK INSURANCE

COMMER	CIAL/IND	USTRIAL	SECTOR	BC-A		72.50	74.00
STOCK	LT	BUY	SELL	LC-A	.52	.52	.53
AC-A	7.20	7.10	7.20	FC-B	.56	.56	.57
ANSCOR		3.75	3.80	PX-A	.51	.50	.51
FER		2.02	2.06	PX-B	.52	.51	.52
GLO	30.50	30.00	30.50	OIL SE	CTOR		
PLDT	142.00	141.00	142.00	BP-A		.013	.014
PCIB		30.00		BP-B		.013	.015
SMC-A	102.00	102.00	103.00	LRC-A		.002	.0028
SMC-B	118.00	116.00	118.00	LRC-8		.0022	.003
MINING	SECTOR			OPM-A	.0625	.06	.0625
APX-A	.0525	-05	.0525	OPM-B		.0625	.0650
APX-8	.0525	-0525	-0550	OV-A	-0575	-0550	.0575
AT-A	23.25	23.00	23.25	CV-B	.0575	.0575	.06

Makati Stock Market Report

OFFICIAL I	NFORMATION			
SECTOR	SHARES	VALUE	AVERAGES	CHANGES
COMM IND.	5,021,440	205,396,122	689.98	6.62 UF
MINING		14,260,930	5.781.74	18.84 DN
OIL		5,034,100		0.195 UF
TOTAL		224,691,152		10.04 UF

PHILIPPINES MANHA COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL SECTOR

STOCK	LT	BUY '	SELL	BC-A		72.50	75.00
SMC-A	102.00	102.00	103.00	BC-B		75.00	
AGPI-A			60.00	LC-A	.52	.52	-53
ANSCOR	3.75	3.75	3.80	FC-B	.56	. 56	.57
AYALA		7.10	7.30	PX-A	.50	.50	-51
FERT-A		2.02	2.06	OIL SE	CTOR		
FERT-B	2.04		2.04	STOCK	LT	BUY	SELL
GLO	30.50	30.00	30.50	BP-A		.013	.014
PLDT	142.00	142.00	143.00	BP-B	.015	.014	.015
SOTIRE	26.00	25.50	26.00	OPH-A	.0625	-06	.0625
MINING	SECTOR			OPM-B	.065	.0625	.065
STOCK	LT	BUY	SELL	OV-A	.055	-055	.0575
APX-A	.0525	.05	.0525	OV-B	.0575	.055	.0575
APX-B	.0525	.0525	-055	SPH-A	.02	.02	.021
AT-A	23.00	22.75	23.00	SPM-B	.02	.02	
AT-B		23.50	27.00	TA	.024	.024	.025

Manila Stock Market Report

OFFICIAL SECTOR C/I MINING OILS TOTAL	INFORMATION SHARES 601,690 216,374,500 137,750,000 354,726,190	VALUES 3,409,030 33,626,310 5,357,850 42,393,190	4.580	CHANGES UP 6.28 DN 50.87 UP 0.025 UP 1.05

SINGAPORE

	HAME	LAST	PR CL	GUINNESS	218	218	LION CORP	135	133
	OTOHONILA	285	285	GULA			M UTD IND M UTD MFG M'SHITA	134	132
	ALEXANDRA			HKTIN	68	68	M UTD MFG	68	70
	AMAL IND			H L IND.	112	110	M'SHITA	480	480
	AMB KLDGS			H TAI PAN	50	56	ATAW'M	80	80
		113		HARIMAU	77	77	MAGNUM	200	200
İ	BATA			HAW PAR	235	224	MALEX IND	380	380
	CARLSBERG			HEXZA	92	92	MALEX IND MARCOPOLO MCB HLDGS	68.5	67
				HIND HOTL	29	28	MCB HLDGS	75	75
	CCM CS HLDGS	33	33				MENANG		
	DKH	460	460				METAL BOX		
i	DUNLOP IND						HT PLEAS.		
	DUTA CON			HTL ROYAL	107	104	MTC BHD	310	310
	ESSO ORD	320	316	HUME IND HWA HONG	152	153	MULTIPURP	38	38.5
	EU YAN S.	197	197	HWA HONG	82	82	MURATA500	• • •	
	EVERPEACE			INT WOOD			MYCOM BHD		
	FACB	40	40	INTRACO	191	1/9	NAIL IRON	436	452
ı	F E ASSET			ISETAN	400	392	OUE P M C	245	239
١	F E SHIP			J CEMENT	60	. 59	PMC	58	59
ı	F C 3816	710	720	JACKS LTD	160	160	RALEIGH	107	106
ı	CEN CADIE	7 10	720	JOHAN HDG	39		RASA SAYA		
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1				K L IND	34		5 PALIFIE	320	320
1	FIMA BHD			KE SANG	120		SAU HI DOS		
1	G KENT	60.5	60.5	KECK SENG	150		SANYO	204	204
١	G TOWN	250	250	KÉPPEL	159	155	SATERAS	34	34
ı	GEN CORP	69	68	KFC RIGHT	5	5	SEAL INC	76	76
I	GENTING								
l	GOLD COIN			KIAN JOO	238	238	SIA	890	885
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Singapore Stock Market Report

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"INSTITUTIONS REMAINED ON THE SIDELINES AND REFRAINED FROM TAKING NEW POSITIONS BECAUSE OF THE FORTHCOMING CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS," ONE DEALER SAID. THE STRAITS TIMES INDUSTRIAL INDEX ROSE TO 773.11 POINTS FROM THURSDAY'S CLOSING OF 768.63.

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S dollars	273.10
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US dollars	273 170
Sterling	503.750
Swiss francs Indian rupees	209.260
Sri Lankan rupees	9.000

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US dollar	273.30
Sterling	503.05
Deutsche mark	168.50
Swiss franc	
Japanese yen	216.25
French franc	
Dutch guilder	
Italian lira	
Spanish pesetas	024.90
Belgian franc	080.50

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Greek drachma	002.14
Tunisian dinar	
Cyprus pound	
Bahraini dinar	725.40
UAE dirham	074 50
Lebanese pound	
Saudi riyal	
Jordanian dinar	
Sri Lankan rupee	009.02
Canadian dellar	209.20
Philippine peso	013.20
Austrian schilling	025.05
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Indian rupees	21.280
Sterline	503.000
US dollars	273.100
Deutsche marks	
Swiss francs	: 208.000
UAE dirhams	74.400
French francs	
Jordanian dinars	

Indian rupees	21.28
Sri Lankan rupees	9.00
US dollars	273.10
Pound sterling	502.50
UAE dirhams	
Philippine pesos	13.40

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BANK SECTOR	P.CLS	LT	HIGH	LOW	VOL	TRADE
-NATIONAL BANK	1.000	0.990	0.990	0.980	935000	29
-GULF BANK	0.405	0.400	0.400	0.400	210000	11
-COMMERCIAL BK	0.275	0.280	0.280	0.275	249600	6
-AHLI BANK	0.370	0.370	0.370	0.370	50000	4
-B.K.M.E	0.280					
-K.R.E.B.	0.435	0.435	0.435	0.435	10000	1
-BURGAN BANK	0.285	0.285	0.285	0.280	90000	5
-K.F.HOUSE	0.500	0.510	0.510	0,500	580000	24
INVESTMENT SECT	OR					
-KWT INV. CO.	0.214	0.210	0.210	0.210	20000	1
-K.F.T.C.I.C.	0.200					
-K.I.I.C.	0.174	0.174	0.174	0.174	120000	4
-COM. FACILITIES	0.390	0.385	0.385	0.385	20000	1
-AHLIAH INV.	0.000					
-1.F.A.	0.126	0.126	0.126	0.126	60000	3
-INV. PEARL KWT	0.118	0.120	0.120	0.120	120000	4
INSURANCE SECTOR	R					
-KWT INSURANCE	0.750	0.750	0.750	0.750	5000	1
-GULF INSURANCE	0.370					
-AHLIA INS. CO.	0.540					
-WARBA INS. CO.	0.480					
REAL EST SECTOR						
-KWT R.EST. CO.	0.280	0.280	0.280	0.280	270000	12
-UNI R.EST. CO.	0.136	0.134	0.134	0.134	570000	6
-NAT R.EST. CO.	0.240	0.238	0.238	0.238	40000	1
-SALHIAH R.E.	0.076					
-KWT PROJECTS	0.094					
-KUT R.E.I.CON	0.000					
INDUSTRY SECTOR						
-NAT IND. CO.	0.520					
-KWT M.P. IND.	0.265					
-KWT CEMENT CO.	D.242					
-REF. IND. CO.	0.380					
-N.A.H.T.CO.	0.000					
-GULF CABLE	1.040					
-K.PH.IND. CO.	0.192					
-CONT.MARINE	0.280					
-K.SH.REP.CO	0.053					
SERVICES SECTOR						
-OVERLAND TRANS	0.080					
-K.H.C. CO.	0.198					
-KWT HOTELS CO.	0.168					
-P.WAREHOUSING	0.198	0.200	0.200	0.198	60000	3
-COM.MKT.CMPX.	0.019	0.019	0.019	0.618	282270	2
-MOBILE TELE.	0.385	0.390	0.390	0.385	220000	11
-KWT COMPUTER	0.194	0.194	0.194	0.194	20000	1
FOOD SECTOR						
-LIVESTOCK T.T.	0.250					
-UNTD FISHERIES	0.142					
-UNTO POULTRY	0.248					
-KWT FOODS	0.290					
-AGRI.FOOD PRD.	0.150					
HON-KWT SECTOR						
-BHN.INTER.BK	0.073					
-BHN.M.EAST.BK	0.056					
-UNTD.GULF BK	0.050					
-COAST INVEST.	0.093	0.094	0.094	0.093	1640000	
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-A.G.INV.CORP	0.042	0.041	V.U42	0.041	800000	Ó
-FIRST.GULF BK	0.870				•••••	
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-PEARL INV.CO. 0.098 -GULF INV.CO. -SULF INTL INS 0.000

-ARAB INT CO.

-SHARJAH INS

INDUSTRIAL SECTOR

D-AJMAN CEMENT

E-FUJAIRAH CEMT

G-GULF CEMENT

H-UMM QAIWAIN

-GULF UNION INS 0.055

F-SHARJAH CEMENT 0.007

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Foreign Currency Selling Rates

Greek drachma			
Cyprus pound 613. Bahraini dinar 725. UAE dirham 074. Lebanese pound 000.6 Saudi riyal 073. Jordanian dinar 806. Sri Lankan rupee 009. Canadian dollar 209. Philippine peso 013. Austrian schilling 025. Qatari rial 074. Egyptian pound 124.			
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Indian rupees	503,000 273,100 169,000 208,000 74,400 50,500

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Indian rupees	21,280					
Sri Lankan rupees	9.000					
US dollars	273.100					
Pound sterling	502.500					
UAE dirhams						
Philippine pesos						

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GOLD RATE

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United Trading

Swiss francs	207,700
French francs	
Japanese yen	2166.35
Italian lira	230.000
Dutch gilder	149.750
Dutch gilder Canadian dollar	209.450
Belgian francs	8 145
Spanish peseta	2.525
Austrian schilling	25.350
Cyprus pounds	609.400
Singapore dollar	138.350
Hong Kong dollar	36.150
Philippine peso Lebanese pound	13.600
Lebanese pound	589.650
Australian dollar	196.900
Indian rupees	21.235
Pakistani rupees	15.705
Sri Lankan rupees	9.050
UAE dirham	74.380
Bahraini dinar	724.500
S. Yemeni dinar	795.850
N. Yemeni riyal	28.750
Saudi riyal	73.300
Qatari riyal	75.105
Omani riyal	709.600
Gold	
10 tolas	501.750
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bounced back today to trade

than a dollar up on 12-month

despite a glutted world market.

London Stock Exchange share

values eased at the opening on

the weak dollar and the Wall

Street fall. Dealers said they fell

further after the government said

it would use its so-called golden

share in the privatised oil

production and exploration firm

Britoil Ple to block a full tak-

eover bid by British Petroleum

Co Plc, the world's third biggest

At 1200 GMT the blue-chip

100-share Financial Times Stock

Exchange index was down 16.8

Eased

easier at midday with the Boer-

sen-Zeitung index down 3.52

points at 276.56. "The dollar's

weakness has led to minor selling

as people tidy up their port-

folios," a share dealer in Frank-

trade the bourse indicator fell

2.26 per cent. Other lower mark-

ets included Milan, where the

index was down half a per cent,

Zurich and Amsterdam. Stock-

holm and Madrid bucked the

In Asia, declines led advances

in Tokyo by two to one in what

dealers described as listless tur-

nover of 550 million shares. The

Nikkei average was down 72.86 points at 22.826.97 after the fall

Wall Street's tumble was

influenced by concern over

trend with slight gains.

In quiet pre-weekend Paris

West German shares were

oil company.

furt said.

points at 1,689.4.

senior Opec oil ministers, including the organisation's president Rilwanu Lukman and Sandi Arabia's Sheikh Hisham Nazer would be taking part in the annual world economic forum, held in January in the Swiss mountain village of Davos, the

organisers said yesterday.
Several other Opec ministers including Indonesia's Dr Subroto, and perhaps another minister from the Gulf, will discuss the future of the world oil market, the

Team

Non-Opec oil ministers expected included US Secretary for Energy John Herrington and Norway's Arne Oien. In all it was anticipated that four prime

ministers, 100 finance, trade and other ministers, and 800 presidents of bus corporations would be taking part in the week-long series of public and private lectures in Davos, it noted.

Kowait will be sending a very strong team to Davos, probably totalling some 14 people, headed by the Information Minister Sheikh Nasser Mohammed. Theme

Also due to take part is the president of the Kuwait's Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Abdul-Aziz Al Saquer, who will head a team of senior busine due to make a presentation on the current business climate in the Gulf.

The general theme of the gathering would be "The new state of the world

economy" following the crash of stock market prices, the forum said.

Former Japanese Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone would address the opening session of the symposium on January 28, forum president Professor Klaus Schwab observed.

Finance ministers, leading central ban kers and senior academics would use the occasions to make predictions on the course of the world economy over the next three or four years, he went on. **Symposium**

In addition to the discussions on the state of energy market and the economy, 2 part of the forum would be devoted to an

examination of regional issues. Schwab refused "for security reasons" to identify the participants in that sector, but said that these would be at a very senior

Forum officials indicated that the Middle East was due to be discussed in this section of the symposium

The Middle East as a region will be very strongly represented at Davos. In addition to the Kuwait delegation, teams will be coming from Saudi Arabia, Egypt, Algeria and Jordan, with its group led by Crown Prince Hassan.

One of the principal attractions of the Davos symposium was that it allowed world leaders to meet informally to examining issues away from the con-straints of official visits and protocol, Professor Schwab observed.

ollar steadies and gold recovers

LONDON, Dec 18, (Reuter): The dollar steadied in a narrow trading range in Europe this morning after touching record quoted lows in New York and Tokyo, while gold and oil prices recovered somewhat from sharp

falls vesterday. Shares were generally lower after Wall Street vesterday suffered its first heavy sell-off in a week and the Dow Jones industrial average plunged by 50.07 points to close at 1,924.40.

But nervous financial markets mostly watched the dollar.

It got a boost in late Tokyo trading on news from Washington that Senate and House of Representatives negotiators had agreed on \$23 billion worth of tax increases as part of budgetcutting measures over the next two years.

Talks

The talks were due to resume today on legislation for govern-ment spending and could carry on into Saturday.

Near the start of business in Tokyo, before the European day dawned, the dollar touched a record quoted low of 125.55 Japanese yen, breaking the previous low of 125.75 set a few hours earlier in New York. A New York traded low of 1.6155 West German marks yesterday was not breached in Tokyo

"This is getting a bit repetitive," said a trader in Frankfurt this morning. "Every day we come in a see the dollar has hit new lows in Tokyo."

In the event, the dollar traded in Europe this morning in a tight range of 1.6175 to 1.6252 marks and 126.25 to 126.58 yen, never coming close to its earlier Asian

Kuwait dinar

KUWAIT dinar deposit rates

eased on Thursday following

Central Bank announcement

that no more treasury bills or

bonds would be issued for the

Banks had expected one or two

more issues in the coming weeks

that would soak up liquidity.

Dealers said a treasury bill issue

due to mature on December 23

and salary payments toward the

end of the month would add even

more funds to the market and

then later at five per cent after

having gone as high as seven per cent on Wednesday. Tomorrow-

next and spot-next were quoted at 5-1/2, 4-1/2 per cent.

Eased

4-1/2, 3-3/4 per cent from five, 4-

1/2 per cent and three-months eased 1/8 point to 5-1/8, 4-5/8 per

One month maturities eased to

Little trade was reported in

longer maturities with banks

having squared their balance

sheets before the end of the year.

Six months and one year were

both little changed at 5-5/8, 5-1/8

per cent and six, 5-1/2 per cent,

dinar exchange rate to 0.27238/72 to the dollar from 0.27292/326

on Wednesday. The spot dinar was quoted at 0.27315/25.

bank deposit rates were mostly

steady in a moderately active,

pushed up one and two month rates, with dealers seeking riyals

to take advantage of higher

dollar interest rates and to square

balance sheets before the end of

maturities rose to 4-3/8, 4-1/8 per cent from 3-15/16, 11/16 per cent

on Wednesday. Demand for

swaps also pushed up short and

In the short dates, spot next rose one point to 2-1/2, two per

cent on Wednesday. One-week

was quoted at 3-1/8, 2-5/8 per

cent.
Three months firmed to 5-5/8.

7/16 per cent from 5-3/8, 1/8 per

cent, but six months and one-

year were little changed at 6-1/2, 1/4 per cent and 7-1/16, 6-7/8 per

The spot rival firmed to 3.7499/502 to the dollar from

cent, respectively.

3.7507/11 on Thursday.

medium-term maturities.

As a result, one month

Dealers said arbitrage activity

liquid market on Thursday.

Meanwhile, Saudi rival inter-

The Central Bank raised its

Over-night rates traded at six

depress rates further.

deposit

rates

ease

rest of 1987.

It remained subject to selling pressure, though. "There is nothing they could say that would make me buy dollars at the moment," a Frankfurt dealer

Japanese government sources in Tokyo said the Group of Seven major industrial nations might issue a statement at the weekend reaffirming the need for currency stability, but only after the congressional negotiators completed their package to be presented to the White House and the full Congress.

Cooperation West German government sources said in Bonn today that the leaders of the Group of Seven industrial nations have been in

intense telephone discussion in recent days over economic cooperation, but no date for a joint statement had been In Frankfurt, Norbert Kloten, a member of the West German

central bank's council said that to be effective, any new agreement on currency stability would have to be better prepared and more flexible than last February's Louvre accord in "If it is not very carefully

thought out or not flexible enough ... it could lead to more instability (in the financial markets)," he told Reuters in a telephone interview. Response

Gold was fixed in London today at \$480.20 an ounce, slightly up on yesterday's close in response to higher crude oil prices and a rebound on in US bullion

Benchmark North Sea Brent crude oil for February delivery

today's so-called triple-witching around \$15.50 a barrel more hour - the expiration of stock index futures and options and lows recorded yesterday. It was depressed by an Opec agreement individual stock options on the same day. "It is the first expiraon Monday to freeze price and tion after the (October 19) crash production levels agreed in June and it makes people very nervous," one dealer said.

Italy, Kuwait sign investment agreement

ROME, Dec 18, (Kuna): Italy and Kuwait yesterday signed here an agreement to protect investments and prohibiting dual taxation beween the two

The accord was signed by Italy's deputy foreign undersecretary and by Kuwait's ambassador here Ahmed Geith Abdalla on behalf of his govern-

ment. The Italian official praised Kuwait's policy and voiced concern over regional conflicts, especially in the Gulf and in the

Middle East. He said the agreement serves to bring closer the two signatory states and unify their efforts for peace and economic prosperity.

In reply, the Kuwaiti envoy said the accord will be a bridge for closer amity and cooperation between Kuwait and Italy in various spheres and wished Italy's international efforts in respect of the Gulf conflict a successful end.

The signing ceremony was attended by representatives of leading Italian corporations and banking institutions and was followed by a luncheon to mark

US consumer prices rise modestly

WASHINGTON, (AP): Consumer prices rose a moderate 0.3 per cent in November as energy prices increased after two months of declines, the government said today.

With just one month to go in 1987, inflation at the retail level was running at an annual rate of 4.7 per cent — more than four times last year's tiny 1.1 per cent increase but still in the range considered moderate by most econ-

omists. The November rise in the Labour Department's consumer price index followed a 0.4 per

cent increase in October. Analysts suggested the rise in energy prices might be shortlived, however. More recent declines in oil prices, including sharp drop this week, should help cushion the domestic inflationary impact of a weaker dollar.

Drop

Overall energy costs rose 0.8 per cent in November following a 0.9 per cent drop in September and a 0.5 per cent fall in Septem-

Gasoline prices rose 0.3 per cent, after falling 0.3 per cent in the previous month. Home heating oil costs were up 0.5 per cent; natural gas and electricity prices jumped 1.4 per cent.

The figures released today did not reflect this week's dissension among members of the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries, which failed to lower production quotas and left the nominal price of oil at \$18 a barrei.

Businessmen call for measures to stabilise exchange rates

TOKYO, Dec 18, (AP): Japanese business leaders asked the government today to cooperate with other nations in stabilising exchange rates and preserving the free-trade system.

Isamu Yamashita, chairman of the Board of the Councillors of the Federation of Economic Organisations, said the Japanese economy was endangered by global economic chaos as illustrated by the recent stock market plunges and wild exchange rate

fluctuations.

Yamashita urged Prime Minister Noboru Takeshita, who met with the federation's leaders. to act to cushion the impact of the yen's appreciation on the Japanese economy and to coordinate economic policies with other major nations.

The yen has risen by 92 per

cent against the US dollar since finance ministers of major industrial nations agreed in September 1985 to drive the dollar's value downward to help the United

States cut its trade deficit. The higher value of the yen has made Japanese exports more expensive, forcing exporters to slash production costs and boost overseas production.

Government economists and private analysts agree that the economy has basically recovered from the first shock of the yen's appreciation, and is showing signs of strong growth stimulated by government measures to boost demand for goods and services inside Japan.

But the dollar's precipitous slide in recent weeks has led many businessmen to express concern that exchange rates are

economy to adjust. "In this time of rapid development of global economic interdependence, stability of exchange rates is absolutely essential." Yamashita told the meeting.

Yamashita pointed out that the world is expecting Japan to open its markets, resolve trade friction and fully participate in economic cooperation, especially through the General cooperation. Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, Geneva-based organisation that mediates trade disputes

"We must not forget how the United States and Europe, especially the United States, helped us during our time of hunger during the war, and how we have benefitted from the free trade system under GATT," Yamashita said. "It is Japan's responsibility to help preserve that free trade system.

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The Bundesbank did not intervene as the dollar was fixed at a record low 1.6218 marks after 1.6237 on Thursday. It was the lowest official setting since currency fixes were introduced in Frankfurt in 1953.

BP takeover bid for Britoil blocked by government close, then they plunged to 355 LONDON, Dec 18, (Reuter): relation to the potential value of pence (\$6.49) after the governthe petroleum reserves which ment's announcement. companies own. It is also cheaper for a firm to

British Petroleum Co Plc (BP) announced a bid to takeover independent North Sea oil company Britoil Plc today but the government promptly said it

company, said in a statement it hoped Britoil's board would recognise the merits of its 450 pence (\$8.2) per share offer and recommend it to its shareholders. Offer

The offer valued Britoil at about £2.27 billion sterling

it holds in Britoil to stop BP.

per cent of all North Sea oil, was sold off to private investors. "In present circumstances the government intends to use its

special share in Britoil to prevent any bidder from gaining control of the Britoil board," it said. Capital

made for more than 50 per cent of Britoil capital, the firm's articles

nment as special shareholder to Britoil shares had risen to 444 pence (\$8.12) after BP's bid from last night's 422 pence (\$7.72)

would block it. BP, the world's third largest oil

(\$4.15 billion). But the treasury then issued a

statement saying the government would use a 'golden share' which It retained this power of veto

If and when a formal offer was

of association enabled the gover-

outvote all others, it said.

when Britoil, a former state com-

pany which controls about seven

BP is battling US oil giant

Atlantic Richfield Co (Arco) over Britoil.

Arco seeks up to 49.9 per cent of Britoil, rather than outright control, under a proposed friendly deal which Britoil management preferred and which brokerage analysts saw as a white knight' move to help the firm avoid a BP takeover. Offer

BP acquired 14.9 per cent of Britoil in a stock market 'dawn raid' on December 8 and by Thursday had raised this to 24.9 per cent after further purchases on the stock market. Arco also

bought Britoil stock and made an offer for more. BP said its takeover bid was prompted by its North Sea development strategy. Britoil's main activities are the explora-

tion, development and production of oil and gas reserves, mainly in the North Sea area. "We reagard the North Sea as an area of strategic importance

Partly, these events were a consequence of the financial crash of

87 which made oil shares cheap in

for stakes in the British oil indus-

The BP Arco tussle over Britoil was part of a wider battle

with excellent longterm potential," a BP statement said.

new oil itself.

The Kuwait Investment Office, which places surplus petrodollars in holding, worldwide for the Kuwait government, last month started building a stake in BP itself - and now has around 15 per cent. French state-owned oil giant

buy their stock than explore for

ELF-Acquitaine last week started building a stake in Tricentrol Plc, a small British North Sea

Premium BP meanwhile said in today's statement that its offer for Britoil represented a 140 per cent premium ot Britoil's 187 pence

(\$3.4) middle market quotation on December 7. Britoil officials had no immediate comment on the bid. BP had sales of £27.1 billion (\$40.6 billion) in the year ended December 1986 and profit after tax and before extraordinary items of £817 million (\$1.49 billion). It was one of the seven sisters, the multinationals which dominated world oil before the

BP earlier this year acquired

rise in the 1970s of the Opec

organisation, and ranks in scale

only after America's Exxon Corp

and the Anglo-Dutch Shell

the 45 per cent shareholding in Standard Oil Co of the United States which it did not already

own for £4.7 billion(\$8.6 billion). The government in October sold off a residual stake holding in BP, with BP issuing new stock at the same time. The huge issue flopped because of the crash on the stock exchange, leaving underwriters to take substantia losses and plenty of cheap BP shares lying around for investors

like the Kuwaitis to snap up.

Britoil's after tax profit was £33 million (\$60.4 million) in the year ended December 1986. This rose to £71 million (\$130 million)

for the six-month period ended in June.

The government retained its golden share in Britoil, after its privatisation, in furtherance of a policy aimed at keeping some

control over North Sea

TUNIS, Dec 18, (Kuna): The head of the Kuwaiti Company for Petrochemical Industries

petroleum resources

Trade talks

Abdul Baji Al Nouri conferred here yesterday with the minister entrusted with Planning Mohammed Al Ghanoushi. They discussed measures to increase Kuwaiti Investments in

the early 1990s. If the actual budget does not fall as much as expected because of an economic slowdown, they said that can be ignored as long

It urged Japan to shift its predicted Japan would probably always have a surplus in its trade with the United States.

The economists suggested deregulating the Japanese economy, additional tax cuts and new investments either by the government or in joint public-private projects.
"In the international context, it is important to recognise that

Germany," the group said. It said that expansion in West Germany would enable other countries, including France, a whole," the statement said. The economists said Taiwan

increasing their imports and selling more of their products at "Taiwan for example, needs extensive new anti-pollution programmes, highway systems, education and health facilities,

include Edmond C. Malinvaud, former director of the French National Institute of Statistics;

especially on faster growth of domestic expenditure in (West)

(Reuter radiophoto) **Budget bargainers**

reach tax agreement An agreement on a \$23-billion, two-year tax increase and

Representatives and Senate

record spending bill that would provide \$600 billion for government agencies through next September while also chipping \$7.6 billion from the deficit. Bur major disagreement

Contra rebels. Legislative leaders hoped to complete bargaining on both bills and secure final congressional passage in time to send the measures to the White House for President Ronald Reagan's sig-

remained on several issues,

including aid to the Nicaraguan

"Everything seems to be moving along," said Congressman Jamie Whitten, an opposition Democrat and chairman of the

nature over the weekend.

House Appropriations Commit-

sparked by the stock market plunge of October, was for a twoyear, \$76-billion reduction in the projected increase of the federal deficit, including \$30.2 billion this year.

To prod the legislators into action, a measure enacted on Wednesday temporarily financ-

ing the government will provide funds only until 12:01 am (050) GMT) tomorrow. With most federal offices shut over the weekend, this meant lawmakers had until Monday morning to finish their work and avert a government shutdown. Session The agreement on taxes was

reached in a closed session by Democratic congressman Dan Rostenkowski, chairman of the House Ways and Means Com-mittee, and Democratic Senator Lloyd Bentsen, who heads the Senate Finance Committee. House negotiators then gave their approval on an 8-1 vote, and senators agreed without dissent.



the dollar hit a new record low of 126.00 yen soon after the opening of selling by Japanese trust banks and US investment firms. (Reute

Economists oppose new efforts to set dollar price now WASHINGTON, Dec 18, (AP): February at the French Ministry ing in terms of 115 Japanese yen countries - largely Taiwan and Economists from 13 countries of Finance in the Louvre and set and 1.40 to 1.45 West German South Korea — by \$30 billion. a series of rates that were never marks to the dollar. In Tokyo,

Group.

said on Wednesday that governments of major non-Communist industrial nations should not set prices for the dollar and other currencies until they begin tough new fiscal policies at home. The 33 economists, brought together by the Institute for

International Economics after

the Oct 19 stock market crash.

urged massive cuts in the US

budget and trade deficits and equally drastic action in other countries. Rates

In a 22-page statement, the economists maintained there was no use in trying to stabilise currency rates until governments get trade, budget and other policies in order. Some predicted a major recession unless govern-

ments act soon.
"The Louvre agreement was premature and the rates were wrong," said Rimmer De Vries, senior vice president of Morgan Guaranty Trust Co.

US Treasury Secretary James A. Baker III met with his counterparts from other countries last

officially disclosed. They are generally believed to have been about 150 yen and 1.80 West German marks to the US

dollar. Since then, the dollar has dropped well below those rates despite massive official purchases by central banks in countries outside the United States.
The economists comprising the group include former Japan-

ese Foreign Minister Saburo Okita; Manfred Wegner, head of the West German Institute for Economic Research, and two US winners of Nobel prizes: Lawrence R. Klein of the University of Pennsylvania and Franco Modigliani of the Massa-chussets Institute of Technology. Argued
They argued the price of the dollar is currently within about

10 per cent of what it should be on condition that all governments concerned adopt the new policies they call for. C. Fred Bergsten, director of the International Institute of

Economics, said they were think-

the dollar closed on Wednesday at 127.60 yen. The dollar was at 1.63 marks in West Germany on Wednesday afternoon. Bergsten predicted that if the United States and others do not act, the doilar will drop much further, interest rates will go up

and the world will be pushed into

a recession even before next

November's presidential elec-tion in the United States. Deficit The group called for a shift of \$150 billion to \$200 billion in US trade by 1990 to bring the deficit in US international accounts down to \$50 billion or less. The deficit is the difference between what the United States buys abroad and what it sells, which

may be as much as \$170 billion less this year. They want to see Japan's surplus of exports over imports cut by \$70 billion to \$100 billion; Western Europe's surplus — lar-gely that of West Germany — by \$50 billion to \$70 billion, and the

surplus of new Asian industrial

The group said the United States should balance what they called the "structural budget" by

as a credible programme is in attention to its home economy and away from exports, but

faster growth in Europe hinges

Italy and Britain, to expand also. And "faster growth in Europe would impart considerable impetus to the world economy as

Uli prices

could reach

to a Dutch oil trader.

\$19 in January

ROTTERDAM, Dec 18, (Opecna): Oil prices could reach a level of at least \$19 a barrel in the second half of January if this

week's Opec agreement was

rigidly implemented, according

Jan Oskamp, secretary-gen-eral of Novok, the Rotterdam-

based organisation of Dutch oil

and coal traders, told Opecna

today that the Opec decision to

extend the agreement and main-

tain the price at \$18 with a ceiling of 15.60 million bpd for the first six months of 1988, was a 'good

He noted Opec had been suc-

cessful in bringing relative stability to the market during

One should, however, get rid of speculators, including future

trade brokers," Oskamp said, describing them as a negative factor in the international oil trade.

He said that the Rotterdam oil

traders, grouped in Novok, were

'not pessimistic' about Opecs

ability to keep the markets calm, as it had done in 1987.

news' for price improvement.

and — to a lesser degree — South Korea should drastically reduce their trade surpluses over the next three to five years, sharply

and social insurance networks— so should no longer export half its savings," the statement said.
The 33 economists also

Bon-Ho Koo, president of the Korean Developoment Institute; C. Tsiang, president of Taiwan's Chung-Hua Institution for Economic Research; and former Finance Ministers Jesus Silva Herzog of Mexico and Mario Henrique Simonsen of

WASHINGTON, Dec 18, (AP): The bills were being sculpted to the form of the budget agreement reached on Nov 20 by progress on a \$600-billion spending bill are giving Congress the White House and congresmomentum in its drive to finish a deficit-reduction package. Negotiators in the House of sional leaders. That accord,

announced agreement last night on a package that would raise an additional \$9 billion in fiscal 1988, which began Oct 1, and \$14 billion more next year. Other bargainers reached accords on most portions of a

Bouncing back from cancer

When cancer struck without warning super singer Barry Manilow nearly died. But after a successful operation he has bounced back with a zippy new album and is planning a world tour.

By Joe Mears

many women, Barry Manilow is the sexiest man in the world. And he's got it all going for him — good looks, perfect voice and pots of

Yet all the fame and fortune in the world couldn't protect him from the ultimate killer --cancer.

Superstar Barry nearly died from the disease when surgeons removed a tumour from the

roof of his mouth. In an emergency operation doctors cut out the cancer and

much of the surrounding bone. Thank God they were able to do a good job," says Barry, who had to sign a consent form giving doctors permission to remove half his mouth, if necessary. It would have meant the end to his 20-year-long glittering career as a singer.

But Barry came bouncing back even brighter than before - and the best thing of all is he can still sing!

In fact he is now planning a world tour.

Since the life-saving op Barry has to have dental treatment three times a week to save his teeth — but, this, he feels, is a small price to pay for the gift of

Barry recalls: "It all hap-pened so fast. I had no warn-

At his Californian home, he was settling down in his favourite chair to a comfortable evening in, with ex-girlfriend Linda Allen, when suddenly he developed a terrible toothache. His dentist wasn't available so Barry, now desperate, rang up close friend Liz Taylor to ask for the number of her personal dentist.

Barry says: "As soon as he examined me he said I must go to hospital. There was a turnour in my mouth that had exploded overnight and I was a real

Barry was rushed to hospital where he underwent a series of tests. Immediate surgery was

During the operation Barry nearly died. But miraculously he survived.

Four days later Barry was back home, in that same chair, out of danger, still in pain. And

reflecting.
This close shave with death has given him a new lease of life. and it came at a time when he was going through an agonising period of self-doubt and he had gone into self-imposed semi-retirement.

Barry always lacked confidence. But that didn't stop the

public loving him and his rise to superstardom was rapid. But after 20 years in the music business and over 50 million record sales - he was

exhausted, and was beginning to wonder what it was all about. "I thought I must be going through the mid-life crisis, says Barry. "There I was asking myself 'Is this it? Is this what I

Perspective

The experience of cancer certainly wasn't planned, but it put Barry's 40-year-old life into perspective.

Having looked death full in the face, Barry now realises just how lucky he is. Life at 40 is just beginning.

Spurred on by new vitality, Barry has made a special album of his own 'Swing Street' - a change from the soulful style of the past - A happy album for a happy guy.

Barry enthusing about the future says: "I'm on cloud

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Superstar Barry Manilow: After his operation he is planning a



Barry with Princess Diana in 1983

nine." He has a world tour coming up and a shortly-to-bereleased autobiography 'Sweet But life hasn't always been so

sweet for Barry. He was born in dangerous down-town Brooklyn, the son of a humble truck driver, who

ran away when Barry was two. leaving a poverty-stricken mother and son to fend for themselves. As a youngster, Barry had no

dreams of stardom.

Says he: "My goals when I was growing up were to have a secretary and an office and show up at 9.30 every morning and leave at five.

Leaving school, Barry cadged a job as a post-boy for CBS. Friends there encouraged him to develop his musical talents by signing on at the New York College of Music.

After studying, Barry's for-tune changed and he landed a position writing jingles and music for local studio shows.

Then at 22. Barry returned home one day to find his mother Edna unconscious from a drug overdose. She was rushed to hospital but survived. The experience left Barry badly

Perhaps this accounts for his brooding ballads, which brought him fame. But it wasn't until he met

Bette Midler, another unknown singer that Barry's luck really came in.

She knew talent when she saw it and hired him straightaway as her musical director. After two thrilling years with Bette, Barry decided to go it

It was just thirteen years ago that Barry had his first number one hit 'Mandy', which set him on a course for stardom. Since then he has achieved a string of 27 chart-topping sin-

gles with no less than 10 albums going platinum And the list doesn't stop there - he won an Emmy, a Tony and was even nominated

for an Oscar. At the height of his career Barry played to an audience of 35,000 in the grounds of Blenheim Palace as the special guest of the Duke and Duchess of

Marlborough. Barry's courtly connections continued and in 1983 he met Prince Charles and Lady Di after a charity concert at the

Royal Festival Hall. Di showed motherly concern for blonde blue-eyed Barry, every woman's little-boy-lost.
"Get married!" she advised him. "Put some weight on ...

You really should have someone to look after you." But bachelor Barry didn't let on that a variety of women had looked after him throughout his charismatic career. His early marriage to childhood sweetheart Susan, broke up

after only one year. Barry explains: "I began to get involved in the music thing and it was just more exciting than marriage.

Magic Manilow's many romantic attachments included a 12-year live-in relationship with Linda Allen and a stormy affair with comedienne Roberta Kent. Thousands of women would

have sold their souls for just one chance to be in these lucky ladies' shoes.

Big-nosed Barry tries to explain why women the world over are fatally attracted to

'Faith' keeps George Michael strong on top

Astley topples T'pau in UK

Pet Shop Boys (Parlophone).

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Feel - Michael Jackson

(Epic). 4.(1) China In Your Hand —

NEW YORK (AP): George Micheal's Faith kept him strong enough to stay for the second straight week at the top of the single pop record charts in the United States.

Heaven Is A Place On Earth by Belinda Carlisle held on to second place for the second week in a row on the Cash Box magazine chart. Whitesnake's Is This Love jumped up two places to third.

Last week's number three hit, the Bill Medley-Jennifer Warnes duet on (I've Had) The Time of My Life, toppled out of the ten top pop list completely. Former Beatle George Harr-

ison jumped on to the top ten list with Got My Mind Set On You, up from 11th to 8th. The week's only other newcomer was Pretty Poison's (Catch Me) I'm Falling up from 12th to

> As for the Country-and-Western singles, K.T. Oslin stayed on for a second week at the top of the Cash Box magazine chart with Do Ya. Somewhere Tonight by Highway 101 was second, and Prefer The Moonlight by Kenny Rogers was third.

> London — Rick Astley moved up two places to the top of the British pop singles chart with When I Fall In Love-My Arms Keep Missing You.
> Astley toppled the British

group T'pau, whose four-week chart-topper China In Your Hand dropped to fourth place.

Always On My Mind by the Pet Shop Boys jumped from eighth to second place, ahead of Michael Jackson's The Way You Make Me Feel. Alexander O'Neal edged up to fifth spot with Criticise.

Three newcomers in the top 10 were Love Letters by Alison Moyet, Look of Love by Madonna and Fairytale Of New York by the Pogues and Kirsty MacCcoll.

Top Ten — British This week's top 10 singles, as listed by Melody Maker Magazine, with last week's

placings in parentheses:
1. (3) When I Fall In Love-My Arms Keep Missing You— Rick Astley (Rca). 2. (8) Always On My MindTPau (Siren).
5. (7) Criticise — Alexander
O'Neal (Tabu).
6. (2) Letter From America The Proclaimers (Chrysalis). 7.(13) Love Letters — Alison

Moyet (Cbs). 8.(5) What Do You Want To Make Those Eyes At Me Me For — Shakin' Stevens (Epic). 9. (21)Look of Love -

Madonna (Sire). 10. (25) Fairytale of New York — The Pogues and Kirsty MacColl (Stiff).

Top Ten — US

The top pop singles, as rated by Cash Box magazine, with last week's positions in brack-

1. (1) Faith - George Michael (Columbia). 2. (2) Heaven Is A Place On Earth - Belinda Carlisle (Mca).

3. (5) Is This Love - Whitesnake (Geffen).
4. (4) Should've Known Bet-

ter - Richard Marx (Manhat-

5. (6) Shake Your Love -Debbie Gibson (Atlantic). 6. (6) So Emotional — Whitney Houston (Arista).

7. (9) Don't You Want Me-Jody Watley (Mca). 8. (11) Got My Mind Set On You — George Harrison (Dark Horse-Warner Brothers).

9. (7) We'll Be Together —
Sting (A and M).
10. (12) (Catch Me) I'm Falling — Pretty Poison (Virgin).
The ten top country-western singles, as rated by Cash Box magazine, with last week's positions in brackets:

1. (1) Do Ya' - K.T. Oslin (Rca). 2. (3) Somewhere Tonight -Highway 101 (Warner Broth-

3. (5) I Prefer The Moonlight - Kenny Rogers (Rca). 4. (6) Heaven Can't Be Found — Hank Williams Jr.

(Warner Brothers-Curb). 5. (8) I Can't Get Close Enough — Exile (Epic).
6. (4) She Couldn't Love Me
Anymore — T. Graham Brown (Capitol). (7. (9) One Friend — Dan

Seals (Capitol). 8. (11) I'll Pin A Note On Your Pillow — Billy Joe Royal (Atlantic America).

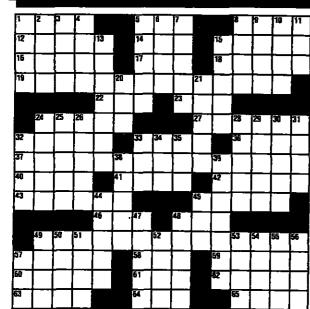
9. (7) Those Memories of You — Dolly Parton, Linda Ronstadt and Emmylou Harris (Warner Brothers). 10. (2) The Last One To

Know – Reba McEntire (Mca).



George Michael: No.1 in USA

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time—he could have set up a dia-

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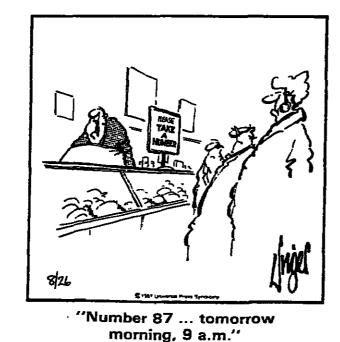
trumps without going down, there was just one chance—clubs had to break 3-3 if declarer was to have any hope of avoiding a heart loser. So declarer took the ace of hearts and immediately cashed the aceking of clubs. He continued by overtaking the jack of clubs with dummy's queen, and when both defenders followed, the contract sud-

The table's good club was led, and the defenders were caught in an unusual coup. If East did not ruff, declarer would discard his heart and West would have to ruff with his trump winner for the defender's first trick; the aces of trumps and diamonds would then be the only other tricks they could get. But East ruffing with the eight proved no better. Declarer still pitched his heart. When he regained the lead he could lead a trump, and now the defenders two high trumps crashed on the same trick!



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By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart







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Aries (March 20 - April 18)

Today the Moon's influence will help you to keep out of trouble. You will get on well with your neighbours. You will have learnt a hard lesson. Be cordial.



Today you should concentrate on dealing with a personal matter. Make doubly sure that others have understood what you wanted to convey to them. Keep your facts up to date. Be benevolent.

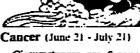


is a little out of date. You will be

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make sure it is four. You should not

neglect a personal matter. Be prac-



Circumstances are favourable and you will be able to get your way in many respects. You should be



Leo (July 22 - Aug. 21)

You will be able to get a lot done. Your inventiveness will help you to deal with an unusual problem. You should make the most of what you



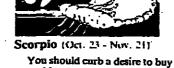
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not want a good opportunity to pass you by. To slim you will have to eat less: patent diets will not do the trick. Do not dwell on the past. Be generous.



The situation is more lavourable to you and you will have a good

opportunity. Do not allow a domestic problem to go unattended. Keep your wits very much about you and watch out for errors.



something outrageously expensive. You will not be able to get your own way in all things. Make sure you take the best care of your health. Be



Sagittarius (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21) The Moon's influence will help you to enjoy yourself. You must avoid going to any kind of extremes. Something you have been trying to learn will begin to fall

into place. Be less impulsive.

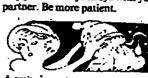


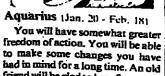
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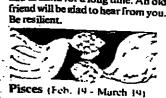
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ther delay. Venus's influence will

help you to see eye to eye with your







You should avoid becoming anxious about something that could well never happen. You will miss what is not as good an opportunity as seems at the time.



Behind the scenes of Stanley Kubrick's Full Metal Jacket

By Ivor Davis

THE Vietnam War was an experience that forever changed the lives of the men who man-aged to survive it. The making of the \$17 million film Full Metal Jacket, which tells the story of a squad of Marines fighting the battle of Hue, was only slightly less earth-shatter-ing to those who endured it. The true story of that vicious,

nonsensical war has now only begun to be told, leading off with the Oscar-winning Platoon. Tales of surrealistic tribulation during "Metal Jackfilming, with the movie's Machiavellian producer/direc-tor Stanley Kubrick ("The Shining," 1980), are also leak-ing out slowly now that the film five years in the making has hit movie screens throughout the world.

The actors in "Full Metal Jacket" were flown from Hollywood to east London's abandoned Beckton Gas Works, which doubled as the city of Hue, where the climactic battle of the 1968 Tet Offensive was fought. They were shaved bald and drilled like real recruits. Although they managed to keep their feet dry, they were nonetheless moved from square to square, retreated and advanced and sometimes wiped off the board at the whim of the direc-

Actor Tim Colceri, 36, an ex-Marine who served in Vietnam, was signed to play Full Metal Jacket's Gunnery Sgt Hartman, the foul-mouthed drill instructor who turns raw recruits into killing machines.

"It was the role of my life," he says. "I've been a Marine. I memorised 45 pages of dialogue; to this day I remem-

ber every word." Colceri flew to London, where the Bronx-born, 59-yearold Kubrick has not budged for

more than 20 years, only to be

Fighting the Vietnam war in east London



Lee Ermey portrays Sgt Hartman in director Stanley Kubrick's Full Metal Jacket.

told that the director had changed his mind. Lee Ermey, a Marine drill instructor hired as the technical adviser, would play the role.

Killer

"Maybe he should have got a real killer to play the other role, then he could have dispensed with actors altogether," says

Colori, bitterly.

During filming, Ermey had a near-fatal car crash on an icy English road, which left him with broken ribs and punctured lung. Colceri was told to stand

by. Three months later, however.

Ermey was back on the picture. As a good-will gesture, Kubrick put Colceri in one scene as a helicopter door gunner.

"I went through as much hell on that film as I did in Vietnam," Colceri says. "But I guarantee you Stanley Kubrick will never forget me. Kubrick is a man who can

crush people's dreams with one of his constant flood of curt memos; who has right-hand man Leon Vitali relay his orders which are said in the third person to the actors; who makes his cast wear pagers, which periodically flash such instructions as "Learn pages 14 to 23

now"; who wakes them at 3 am to discuss the script; who had Ermey repeat his lines for hours while Vitali threw tennis balls and oranges at him until he could deliver his lines perfectly; who pauses in the middle of rehearsal to wipe up the drop-pings of his sick, old retriever or to adjust the pillows in his dog

Ermey tells the story of scouting locations with Kubrick in England in a new \$50,000 Mercedes-Benz.

basket.

"Stanley spotted a place. He got so excited he turned the car over in a ditch with us all trap-ped inside. Totally ignoring the rest of us, he clambered out yelling. 'Mark that spot. That's the one I want."

Yet Ermey, who could pick up an Oscar next year for his portrayal, refuses to acknowledge Kubrick as a tyrant.

"That's bull---," he says' "He has to rule. If you're Mr Nice Guy they'll walk all over you." Adam Baldwin, who plays Animal Mother, has his own stories.

"It was like warfare making that movie. It was hard work carrying all that gear. We were either hot or cold and for long, tedious hours there was nothing but boredom. Then the guns and the bombs were going off and it just seemed like real war would be - moments of chaotic danger and craziness mixed with long periods of boredom." Kevyn Major Howard, who

plays the rookie Stars and Stripes photographer Rafterman, talks about Kubrick as if he were a cross between an allknowing father figure and the Dalai Lama.

"When Stanley laughs," be says, "It's as if the whole world is laughing too. He has such wit and such charm.

Indispensable "But he wants you to know no one is indispensable. He plays with you. He manipulates you. He has a way of putting fear into people and he always has himself covered. He always knows what his next move will be and it's never to the detriment of Stanley. No one was ever allowed to feel secure on the set. There were times I felt he was going to fire me, but it always lent itself to the work. I was supposed to feel it so that the next day's takes would show Rasterman a little more on edge. And I think that hap-

pened with everyone.

Kubrick had to sign a contract with a studio promising to give them a weekly account of how their money was being spent.
"But there was nothing in the

contract about how he would keep them informed. So he wrote his reports in a military code that only the Pentagon could decipher. And there wasn't a thing those studio lawyers could do about it.

To threaten Stanley," says Howard, "is to threaten yourself. I never seen him lose.

Yet the hard-driving director also has his soft side. It was not unusual for Kubrick to invite the actors to his country mansion, where he lives with his wife Christiane and his three daughters, sit them around the kitchen table and rehearse their lines over tea and toast.

"I think he enjoys the male comradeship of making films," says Howard. "He's surrounded by women at home and he likes to talk guns and sports. We'd sit around making our own food like guys in a logging

Any actor who works for Kubrick knows the process will be like no other. There will be long hours of rehearsal videotaped by the omnipresent Vitali, followed by equally long sessions where opinions are solicited and apparently digested. But then comes the shoot and Kubrick may change everything you thought you had agreed upon.

And yet the director, whose greatest praise for an actor is, He comes prepared, he knows the lines," gets away with it.
"We always understood that

Stanley had the last word," says Howard. "Because of who he is, you understand he is to be trus-



Frances Barber and Roland Gift watched by a policeman in a scene from 'Sammy And Rosie...'

Controversial film puzzles audiences

The follow-up to My Beautiful Laundrette made by Stephen Frears and Hanif Kureishi, has its title modified for American audiences but still manages to offend. By Derek Malcolm

HUGE and copiously sponsored film festivals in Canada have all paid tribute this year to the British film revival, and the most controversial British film they have screened is undoubtedly Stephen Frears' and Hanif Kureishi's Sammy and Rosie Get Laid.

The film, given its correct title at both the Toronto and Vancouver Festivals, but called simply Sammy and Rosie on its American release so as not to offend, is of course meant to do just that, being a vision of a clapped out and decadent Britain as visited by a Pakistani businessman who remembers the land of hotbuttered toast and gentility of the past and is quite unprepared for the mess he

And Vancouver, where a large number of new British films were on display, there was a huge audience for each festival screening. It was obvious that at least

discovers now.

half the audience were waiting for another version of My Beautiful Laundrette; the previous Frears-Kureishi collaboration, which played in more cinemas is North-America and Canada that in Britain itself, where the circuits were chary of putting on a movie about a Pakistani and a former supporter of the National Front who become ıv lovers.

The gay element on the Vancouver audience was large and vocal, and clearly disappointed when I said that Sammv and Rosie was something entirely different. But they seemed to like the film all the same, though there were many in the audience who felt differently.

Jay Scott, Canada's most respected critic, gave the film a rave in the Globe and Mail, but others were less enthusiastic. They found the film, which has the Pakistani businessman arriving home to see his son and an old flame as the streets of South London are burning after race rioting, a depressing view of Thatcher's Britain.

The last image of the film, which seems intent on proving that almost everybody has his

or her price, shows the developers' bulldozers clearing an inner-city site for a massive business development financed by the Japanese and taking with it the caravan home of one of the leading characters - a streetwise black who watches the Pakistani's discom-

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fiture with baleful sympathy. Kureishi's script is a better and more complete one than that provided for My Beautiful Laundrette, and Frears orchestrates it with some verve, as if infected by the writer's own anger. But the trouble is that there is hardly one sympathetic character.

The businessman, we discover, is not the cuddly bear he seems but a man who went into politics to shore up his fortune and was not above torturing his opponents. His son, who has a social worker wife, doesn't really like his father but is quite willing to let him buy the family a house some where where the situation doesn't remind him of Beirut.

All this puzzled the decidedly pro-British Van-couver audience greatly. Is Britain really so bad now? I was asked again and again and does the film really represent what is happening that it depended where you lived and where your mind was. But Kureishi and Frears had at least made a film that was light years away from the more gentie and theatrical style of your average British movie, and also from the Hollywood pap that is Canada's staple fare both on television and in the cinema.

Sammy and Rosie, together with other British films will be played in American and Canadian cinemas forthwith, making money faster than they could in their country of origin. It seems that North America can't get enough of

What they will eventually think of the flailing, irascible and anarchic successor to My Beautiful Laundrette is anyone's guess. But it is certain to become a landmark of a sort, like the previous film from the team.

Carrie Fisher returns from the edge

By Dorene Internicola

NEW YORK. (Reuter): Carrie Fisher is willing to do a fourth "Star Wars" movie, especially if the script calls for Princess Liea to acquire a drinking "It would be perfect for me."

said Fisher, barefoot in her elegant, but clothes-strewn, Central Park hotel room. "She's had a hard time, I

mean, all those battles. Evene's got to start to fai apart. Like, instead of that old movie 'I'll cry tomorrow' (about an alcoholic), it could be 'I'll fly tomorrow" she said in an interview. For all her wisecracking

there are no immediate plans for a fourth "Star Wars" to follow the highly-successul screen trilogy in which Princess Liea was the heroine the intense, petite 30-year-old actress has had a pretty hard time herself.

Two years ago her pill-popping ways landed her in a Los Angeles hospital at the end of a stomach pump. But she lives to tell the tale in

her first novel, "Postcards From The Edge.

Despite its doleful subject, 'Postcards' is much like its author fresh, funny and exhilarating. Fisher may be completely self-absorbed, but she is never self-pitying.
"I call my life 'bad reality,

good anecdote "" said Fisher, who describes "Postcards" as autobiogra-*emotionally phical".

Through her heroine Suzanne Vale, "who had it all but lacked the ability to have it all " the author examines her favourite obsessions: drugs, romance, career, self. The daughter of mo

Debbie Reynolds and singer Eddie Fisher (who left hearth and home to marry actress Elizabeth Taylor 28 years ago) was raised she frankly admits as an affluent Hollywood brat.

"Postcards" was going to be non-fiction essays, but they sounded so snide, like I was above my own environment, which I'm not," she says.
"If I saw that anything I

wrote was too self-indulgent or self-pitying, I would say it in some twisted-around way." Fisher says, recalling the pretentious poetry she wrote at puberty.

Dorothy Parker was an early idol, and 'Postcards' is punctuated with such Parker-like epigrams as "you took my. breath away and now I want it

back," "I'm auctioning myself off to the lowest bidder," and "instant gratification takes too Now she is writing a "Post-

cards" screenplay for director Mike Nicholas. She hopes Debra Winger will star, "or maybe Silvester Stallone, because I think he needs a verbal part.

Fisher landed her first movie role at 17, playing a precocious teenager opposite Warren Beatty in "Shampoo." She also appeared in "The Blues Brothers," and "Hannah And Her Sisters"but she is most famous for "Star Wars." "At some point I decided I

was just a cartoon actress." Fisher says. "Most actors feel released by their roles, I always feel I'm not letting enough out. I can do more about writing. I can self-generate."

Fisher bristles at what she calls "toxic waste people", children of celebrities who write angry exposes of their parents,

"My mom read the book while we were at one of those health spas on a motherdaughter weekend. I think she was very relieved that it was not an expose on how she never baked bread or something."

But for a self-described

"movie star," ex-drug addict, celebrity child and rock star exwife," (she was married to singer/songwriter Paul Simon for seven months), promoting a first novel can present some irritating dilemmas. "One reporter just wanted

some snide quote about Elizabeth Taylor." she said. "1" mean, give me a break." "I understand you can't do a

profile without that junk, but if they want dirt, I'm not going to give it to them. What do the think I am. unconscious at the wheel?

"One magazine called me and said: 'Your father, I've looked all over the book for him ... and I can't find him. Do you hate him?' I said I don't blame Eddie Fisher for the way I am ···

"So the story comes out with the headline: 'Carrie Fisher still blames self for parents' divorce." I was two when my parents divorced. I didn't let them write what they wanted to write, so they made me a

"I like my parents," said Fisher, tossing clothes into a suitcase for the trip back to her

Los Angeles home.
"And may be it was a weird life, but it was my life."



Carrie Fisher: her pill popping ways landed her in hospital but she lives to tell the tale in her first novel "Postcards From The Edge."

By Judy Byrne

AT 43, gorgeous Jacqueline Bisset is still at the very top of her profession. And her latest TV mini-series Napoleon and Josephine has proved it. First there is the cool million

dollars fee she has just picked

up for the starring role. But even more important -- especially to an ageing actress — was producer David Wolper's reason for choosing her. Wolper, who also made Roots, only wanted Jackie after Lesley-Anne Down turned down the female lead. Yet

even as second choice many of the network's moguls thought she was TOO OLD for the part. So he asked: "Put your hands up all those who would say 'no' to Ms Bisset. Who

could say 'not tonight Jac-queline."' Not one arm was raised and Jacqueline was cast as Josephine. Now she can't wait for the part. She says: "Josephine is a very contemporary character. She has a joy of life, consider-

able generosity and certainly enjoyed sex." Success

Sexy Bisset has had steady success in movies for more than 20 years and 40 films. When she did not work for more than a year a little while ago it was because she chose not to. She did not need money. She was just looking for the right role. And the stunningly-

beautiful doctor's daughter is not just a pretty face and heavenly body. She has brains and nerve, too.

She says: "I'm not driven. Someone once said of me 'she is not so much ambitious as energetic.' I don't have a clue why I have lasted. When I do anything, whether it's making a film or making a cake I want to be good."

That someone was actually top photographer Terence Donovan who knew her as long ago as 1964 when she was parttime waitress and aspiring model. Modesty prevented her adding that he also said she was "ravishing."

As he pointed out, models don't often succeed in the even more cut-throat world of acting. "It's hard work acting, and they often are not ready for that," says Donovan.

But Jacqueline Bisset has been one of the exceptions. Yet she certainly didn't have the sort of childhood that made it easy for her to go into

Her Scottish family doctor father and French lawyer mother brought her up in a thatched cottage near Reading, Berks. She went to the local school, took ballet lessons in her spare time and learned to

ride horses. Birthday treats were trips to the ballet. "I hardly even saw a

film until I was 15," she admits. In her teens, she transferred to a French lycee in London and simultaneously discovered

Bisset lands the plum part of Empress Josephine

'Yes, tonight Jacqueline'



A veteran of over 40 films, Jacqueline Bisset is still going strong.

boys and movies. "I wanted to be an actress," she said. "But I didn't like to mention it to anyone in case they thought 'how

but Jacqueline has always lacked the pushiness that usually helps to make a glamorous film star. An old school friend remembers her as a dis-



Jacqueline with actor Armand Assante in the new mini-series 'Napoleon and Josephine: A Love Story.'

tinctly old-fashioned girl. She says: "Jackie wore tweed suits and brogues and pearls and was so well-

mannered and quiet." Never-

theless that proper English exterior hid a firmness of purpose that sent her tracking around auditions and looking for modelling assignments.

In 1964, she was the girl in the "Come to Britain" advertising campaign and she landed a small part as a model in The Knack the following year. Film-maker Roman Polanski spotted her in it and offered her her first speaking part in Cul de Sac a year later. Then in 1967, she went to the

United States to make The Sweet Ride. After the sexy role of killer Gionvanna Goodthighs in the Bond film Casino Royale she never looked back. It was followed swiftly by Bullitt with Steve McQueen in which Jacqui was billed as the wearer of "the shortest miniskirt ever seen in a motion pic-

She went on to co-star with everyone who is anyone from Frank Sinatra to Paul Newman (twice), Nick Nolte, Christopher Reeve Albert Finney, Paul Schofield, George Segal and Anthony Andrews. In The Deep, she wore the

ture.'

original wet T-shirt. In Rich and Famous she joined the Mile High Club, making passionate love in the

loo of a jumbo jet. And scenes from Secrets have become hot property among blue movie collectors much to her annoyance.

She says: "There was this erotic scene where I fell off a bed. I slipped off backwards and more of me was exposed than was meant to be. It had taken two-and-a-half days to get me to the point of doing what I finally agreed to do.

When she discovered the accidental porn scene she thought had ended up on the cutting room floor had not, she was furious. Yet her well-to-do mother was wonderfully matter-of-fact about it.

"It is all the fashion, darl-

ing," she told her distressed

daughter. Her father, who died four years ago, took it less well: As a result, Jackie vowed to reveal less in future. "I hardly get a shoulder strap

off these days," she says." Each year I show a little less The remarkable thing about Jackie is that whatever she has

never lost her aura of pure Despite an unsuccessful Oscar nomination in 1974 for Francois Truffant's Day For Night, her reputation has re-lied more on her beauty than

revealed in the past she has

But lately, critics have been sitting up and reassessing her acting ability. Her acting status rose when she played the wife of the alcoholic British consul to Mexico in The Volcano and the heroine Anna Karenina in the series Forbidden.

The role saw her play a countess who smuggled Jews out of war-torn Germany and showed she had just the sort of bewitching charm to appear as Napo leon's Josephine.

She has her father to thank for the fact that she has never been content to rest on .!

Spokesman for the human condition

By W.J. Weatherby

FEW writers have been luckier in the timing of their birth than James Arthur Baldwin, the American black novelist, playwright, essayist and civil rights advocate, who was born in Harlem, New York City's black ghetto, on August 2,

Other black American writers equally talented, such as Richard Wright, wrote at a time when American society was rigidly segregated. This limited both the scope of their work and the audience they reached. But Jimmy Baldwin came of age when this rigid society was breaking up and he rode the wave of the civil rights movement and found a popular following. Many of the older writers had gone into permanent exile in Europe and Africa; Baldwin, too, escaped to Paris when the racial situation at home seemed hopeless, but then the break-up of the system and the new racial awareness of white Americans gave him a public role.

Even Baldwin's angriest essay collection. The Fire Next Time (1963), was a big bestseller and he became a familiar performer on television in the Sixties. Much of White America at the time was prepared to hear the worst and Baldwin, small and intense with a Harlem preacher's style, gave it to them. Some of the older black writers like Langston Hughes, who had lived through a modest Black Renaissance in the Twenties only to see white interest fade away, warned Baldwin what to expect. In the Seventies the popular pendulum swung back again, liberalism gave way to the conservatism of Nixon, Goldwater and Reagan, and a deepening recession pushed issues like racism into the sidelines as whites as well as blacks had to hustle for a living.

Baldwin found himself no longer in great demand as a spokesman for a movement that had lost momentum with the assassinations of Martin Luther King, Malcolm X, and the two Kennedys. Following these murders. Baldwin feared for his own life and retreated to Europe, but as an ageing enfant terrible bringing bad news the mass of Americans no longer wanted to hear, he was no threat. His public role was reduced to that of an eccentric celebrity, and his writing no longer reached the great popular audience but only the minority readership that the older black writers like Richard Wright had had to be satisfied

Image

Along with the handicap of his black image in a predomin-antly white society went a homosexual nature that aroused equal controversy and added even more to his eccentric reputation. His novels, Giovanni's Room and Another Country, courageously linked his racial and sexual identities at a time when homosexuality wasn't openly written about by established writers. While he was at the peak of his fame, critics were tolerant of his homosexual themes, though even then some political and cultural leaders, black as well as white, were wary of associating their name with his.

But when his season in the sun was over, his later novels were frequently attacked and even dismissed as too preoc-cupied with minority interests - that is, homosexual and interracial love. This was regretable because much of what Baldwin was conveying still mattered. He used the public attitude towards homosexuality as a subtle metaphor for racism and thus related it to the human condition in an eloquent, original way, but by then he was only being heard by a limited

This embittered him and was

not good for his work as an

artist, which was the role he had first given himself before the civil rights movement thrust him into public life. Born the eldest of nine children in Harlem, he had been a poor but brilliant boy who had been an outstanding student in the prestigious De Witt Clinton High School and one of the most voracious readers ever to use the New York Public Library. Leaving home at 17, he took on a series of what he later called "non-literary jobs," including factory work and a waiter in a Greenwich Village restaurant. He was writing poetry and short stories and essays on the side, and these enabled him to win a couple of fellowship that helped him to move to Paris when he was 24. He lived in Europe on and off for the next eight years, often in great poverty, but "getting my head together," as he once put it, "because back home walking past a group of whites, I sometimes felt so angry I wan-ted to go 'bam.'"

His first novel Go Tell It On The Mountain written and rewritten over several years, was published in 1953 to high praise. The story of a boy preacher like himself growing up in Harlem, it contained all Baldwin's later themes but was written with almost classical selfrestraint, unlike some of his later work in which the message was hammered home as if he feared readers would miss it. Giovanni's Room, an openly homosexual novel, followed in 1956, Another Country in 1962, a collection of short stories, Going to Meet the Man, in 1965, and then a few years apart novels like Tell Me How Long the Train's Been Gone, If Beale Street Could Talk, and Just Above My Head.

At the same time he was writing his powerful essays explor-ing the relationship between blacks and whites, which critics tended to praise at the expense of his fiction, and he published such collections as Notes of a Native Son (1955), Nobody Knows My Name (1961), and No Name in the Street (1971). He also wrote several plays, including The Amen Corner (1955), which drew from his religious experience in Harlem, and Blues for Mr Charlie (1964), which was inspired by his anger over the lynching of a black youth in the Deep South. He was also commissioned to adapt The Autobiography of Malcolm X for a Hollywood film, but fell out with the producers and the film was never made.

And, of course, in between all this literary work came his civil rights activities, including making speeches, marching, and engaging in public debates with such white public figures as Bobby Kennedy, William Buckley, the conservative editor and writer, whom Baldwin called "the intellectuals' James Bond," Margaret Mead the anthropologist, and Nikki Giovanni, the black poet from the generation after his.

It was astonishing that he could manage to fit in all these

varied, draining activities as well as playing dutiful son, brother and uncle to the huge Baldwin family, and although he kept retreating back to Europe for long rest periods, both the artist and the man inevitably suffered. At his best a fine stylist and a novelist with an original vision of his own, his work began to show the effects of his demanding public role, just as the man, an eloquent, warm-hearted person who had seized the opportunity the timing of his birth offered with great strength of character, slowly began to wear down under the pressures he had to bear and became more egocentric and narrowly racial in his own attitudes, so that he was in danger of being what so many original talents are forced to be in the United States a show business character, whose pronouncements are not taken seriously.

At his peak, when he was

confident of commanding a large audience, Baldwin could deal with this challege with fine ironic humour, but in later life, as he had to strain more for attention, he often seemed to succumb to playing the role he had been given and let the artist take a back seat. This was a loss for literature, but when one takes into account how far this extraordinarily gifted man had risen and what pressures he had had to withstand - pressures unknown to white writers in the United States — It is hard to carp about what might have been. He was most himself with his family, his mother, his brothers and sisters, and his countless nieces and nephews, sitting back like a patriarch in the house on West 7 1st Street he had bought for his mother as soon as he had shot to fame. There he didn't need to play the



James Baldwin: American black novelist, playwright, essayist and civil rights advocate

black role the world increasingly demanded, but could just be the Jimmy Baldwin who had come such a long way but hadn't himself.

His last published book two years ago was a long essay about the murders of young blacks in Atlanta Georgia entitled The Evidence Of Things Not Seen. He wrote of the United States in this: "This is the only nation under heave that contains the universeeast and west, north and south, black and white. This is the only

nation in the world that can hope to liberate - to begin to liberate - mankind from the strangling idea of the national identity and the tyranny of the territorial dispute. I know this sounds remote now and that I will not live to see anything resembling this hope come to

His lucid, graceful, powerful use of the English language reflected the style of the man himself who was always such lively company even in his darkest moods.

Disunited kingdom

By Hanif Koreishi

DERVLA Murphy has written books about Ethiopia and Ireland, India and Madagas-car, and for her new book Tales From Two Cities she decided to look at and live with the Afro-Caribbean and Asian populations in Britain.

So in Bradford she takes a bedsit and in Handsworth, Birmingham she more-or-less takes up residence in a Rasta pub. Listening to everyone who'll talk to her - shopkeepers, policemen, social workers, anti-racists, militants and claiming to have no politics whatsoever and certainly no anti-racist stance, she records a great number of conversations at length — at great, intolerable length in fact - regardless of their interest.

Intimacy

Every station of the liberal cross is stopped at: arranged marriages. Islamic schools, black militancy, police brutality, anti-racism and its failures, the New Right. And there is a long and detailed account of the Honeyford affair. Murphy became friend with both Honeyford ("Ray") and Jenny Woodward, who led the parents' group opposed to

Yet in spite of this claimed intimacy, she is incapable of offering any depth of insight into the entire business. Too often she is merely and costly concerned with herself: is she racist? Why does the appearance of a black African couple on the tube to Hamp-stead repel her? What does she

think of the cannabis laws? And all of it is encrusted in phrases like "mad dogs and Irish-women" and "I have never been a Women's Liberation

Activist,"
In the second half of this over-long book, she manages to become almost accepted into Rasta life in Birmingham and she mingles with small-time drug-dealers and unemployed black kids, some of whom infow ice at her. Si on the street when the Handsworth rebellion broke out and two Asian men were burned to death in the Lozells Road post office (and Douglas Hurd had to be unceremoniously heaved into the back of a police van and accelerated out of the area).

At this point the book does become interesting and dramatic because Murphy is actually taking part in something, not looking on and wondering, not just fighting for clarity. Recently there have been two excellent accounts of British decay and division: Ian Jack's Before The Oil Ran Out and Robert Chesshyre's superb The Return Of A Native Reporter. Dervla's Murphy's book is feeble in comparison, undisciplined and unfocused. But there is also something tiresome and futile about the whole method of telling she has adopted: uncommitted journalist goes into "unexplored" Britain to tell us the truth behind the headlines and what these strange people are really

like. What we need now are novels, films, plays and stories told by writers from these com-



Dervla Murphy: exploring another side of Britain

munities themselves; writers who can give an experienced and felt sense of life. We need our own Toni Morrisons. Maya Angelous and Alice Walkers who can tell us pas-sionate and true stories of hearts and lives, not all these pseudo-sociologists describing turbans and talking about

This necessary wave of informed writing is a long time

acoming: we may have to wait another 15 years for it. And this is partly because London publishers are mostly too lazy, narrow-minded and indifferent to leave the Groucho Club and search out the writing of those who really have something original to tell us.

Tales From Two Cities, by Dervia Murphy (John Murray, £12.95).

Travels with a prince

By Kenneth Rose

AMBITIOUS and calculating even at 19, Lieutenant Lord Louis Mountbatten RN wangled himself on to the staff of the Prince of Wales for his Empire tours of 1920-22. One was to New Zealand, Australia and British colonies in the Pacific and the Atlantic; the other to India, the Far East and Japan. In all they lasted seven months and covered 50,000

On the instructions of the Prince's chief of staff, Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey, Mountbatten kept a light-hearted diary of the first tour, 20 copies of which were produced on the printing press of HMS Renown. What was intended to entertain a small circle of courtiers nearly became a bestseller when the ship's doctor absconded with a copy and was detected offering it to an American journalist for £5,000: about £65,000 in the currency of today.

Halsey took no such risk during the second tour. But Mountbatten continued to keep a private record for himself and his immediate family. Philip Ziegler, who drew on both diaries for his authorised life of Mountbatten, has now edited them for publication with an admirable short introduction and footnotes that are often more illuminating than the text

The Disries of Lord Louis Mountbatten should not be judged by the standards of Creevy or Greville, Nicolson or Channon. It is the work of a young man in a hurry, written in snatches between the Prince's official engagements.

Another distraction was his pursuit throughout the Indian tour of Edwina Ashley, who in Viceregal Lodge, Delhi, agreed to become his wife. Lady Reading was embarrassed that this should have happened under her roof, and wrote to Edwina's father: "I hoped she would care



to abdicate his throne. His intimacy with the beir to the throne was frowned upon by some...

for someone older, with more of a career before him. In attendance on Queen Vic-

toria during a visit to Coburg in 1894, Sir Henry Ponsonby complained: "So what with uniform and not uniform, one is all day dressing or bothering." A generation later nothing had changed except the speed of locomotion. The reader will acquire a knowledge scarcely less profound than Mountbatten's of his 27 pieces of baggage containing every variation of apparel known to the Royal Navy by morning, noon and night, on land and at sea, on duty and off. Like his great-uncle King Edward VII, he was an accomplished master of haberdashery.

Detail

There is also much wearisome detail about sport, if such a word may be used of potting at a cornered tiger from the back of an elephant, chasing black buck in a Rolls Royce, watching emus and kangaroos being torn to pieces by dogs. Nor had the smoked-salmon socialist of the 1930s yet deviated from the conventional beliefs of his class and calling. His views on trade unionists were caustic.

Mountbatten did, however, record two political observations that were to cast long shadows. He wrote of Japan: "I received the impression that here was a power to be reckoned with in a way in which no one who has not been here and seen for himself can possibly conceive." And he noted that hostility to the Raj was more marked in British India than in the Princely States. One lesson coloured his mature years, the other did not.

Only occasionally does the diarist confess what we now know from other sources: that his bumptiousness and flaunted intimacy with the heir to the throne grated on a staff of older and more experienced men. King George V, never slow to rebuke his eldest son, was furious to see a newspaper photograph of the two cousins side by side in a swimming pool "Hardly dignified." he wrote "you might as well be photographed naked, no doubt it would please the public."

The Prince of Wales did not share his flag lieutenant's brash self-confidence. In his 26th year he still endured tortures of shyness and melancholy only partly relieved by a masochistic addiction to violent exercise and a sparse diet. Yet the unwilling focus of an Empire's adulation steeled himself to carry off the tour with courage, panache and charm.

Sometimes he showed imagination, 100. In Panama, Mountbatten writes, the Prince shook hands "with coloured men, a thing an American would never have done."

THE DIARIES OF LORD LOUIS MOUNTBATTEN 1920-1922 edited by Philip Ziegler, Collins, 315pp, £15.

Lamenter of lost causes

By John Grigg

IN 1951, when he was already in his mid-fifties. Nirad Chaud-huri's Autobiography of an Unknown Indian appeared. In the West a successed estime, in his own country a success de scandale, it immediately transformed him into a literary celebrity. But he claims, probably rightly, that he could have done much better for himself by writing a biography of Nehru, from his own very distinctive

standpoint.
The autobiography (now reissued in paperback by the Hogarth Press, 528pp, \$7.95) describes only the first 23 years of his life. All the same it is a long book, and partly for that reason he had difficulty in finding a publisher for it. But he was helped, he now tells us, by Basil Liddell Hart, who had been impressed by articles he had written on military topics; and eventually the book was taken by Macmillan. He was delighted to appear under the same

imprint as Kipling and Hardy.
His new instalment of autobiography ends with the publication of the first. Subtitled "India 1921-1952," Thy Hand, Great Anarch! covers the momentous period of the Independence struggle, the Second World War, and the transfer of power. Almost twice as long as its predecessor, it is more a commentary on Indian politics, and on the general human situation, than the mere record of one man's life. But granted, some knowledge of the back of his mind and sensibility, seen also in a deep love of Western music, he remains utterly Indian, and specifically Bengali, at heart. Moreover, the faith that he has arrived at after rejecting all the orthodoxies is close to "the Hindu monism which proclaims the individual soul and the universal soul to be

He is a sort of Indian Solzenitsyn, rooted in his homeland vet unable to breathe its air, a refugee in the West, who never theless feels that Western civilisation is in decay. His compatriots were outraged by the dedication of his "Autobiography" to the British Empire in India, by which "all that was good and living within us was made, shaped and quickened." But the dedication also contains a bitter reproach to the British Raj, which "conferred subject-hood" while withholding "citizenship." The Empire he loves is the

Empire that might have been. He resents and scorns the actual British rulers who failed to treat educated Indians like himself as equals. In this vital respect the imperial achievement of Britain falls short, in his view, of Rome's. For a time between the wars he became a fervent nationalist, but his disillusion with the national movement set in before 1939, and by Independence was total. When I met him in Delhi in 1957 he was talking of Nehru and his colleagues as "brown viceroys."

His attitude to Gandhi is ambivalent. Though he turned against most of what Gandhi stood for, and is contemptuous of the Gandhi cult - par-ticularly as shown in such Western productions as the Atten-borough film — he cannot quite suppress his admiration of the man. When he first saw Gandhi at close quarters in Calcutta, What struck me was the expression on his face, which diverted all attention away from his features or figure. It was one of extraordinary innocence and benignity, with two soft beams streaming out of

Mr Chaudhuri does not often write thus of a fellow human being. Criticism comes more easily to him than praise. But his cosmic disgust is redeemed by a chuckle. At 90, he is one of the world's wonders. Living now at Oxford, he is an ever brilliant and mischievous lamenter of lost causes. He deserves to be honoured by the university. THY HAND, GREAT

ANARCH!: India 1921-1952 by Nirad Chaudhuri, Chatto, 912pp, £25.

By Smith

FAMILY DOCTOR By DR ALLAN BRUCKHEIM

ESTROGEN DEFICIENCY PLAYS A BIG ROLE IN HOT FLASHES

QUESTION: I am approaching the "change in life" years and I am quite worried. I've heard a lot about "hot flashes," but I'm really not sure what they are. Can you explain?

ANSWER: Almost nine out of 10 women coing through menopause will experience hot flashes. In many women, these flashes may begin before the last menstruation. Some of the flashes are related to bloodvessel constriction and dilatation, according

to experts. Estrogen deficiency plays a big role. As menopause sets in, the ovaries slow down their production of estrogen. The pituitary gland does not recognise that this has happened, so it works to stimulate the ovaries. All these chemical actions within your body make your internal temperature fluctuate

and produce the flashes. Some women experience warning signals that they are about to have a flash. They feel like they are boiling up and ready to burst. They may experience warmth in the face, neck and chest. The skin may become reddish and flushed. Perspiration usually occurs. Women with severe flashes may perspire intensely. Once the heat attack is over,

there is often a chilled feeling and even some shivering. I realise that all of this sounds very frightening, but it is important to remember that these flashes are not dangerous, just very uncomfortable. If you are lucky, you may only experience these flashes a few

times a week. The hot flashes usually last a few minutes, although in severe cases, they may last an hour. If the flashes bother you, tell your physician, as there are medications that can

Fortunately, in 50 per cent of cases, the hot flashes last only a year. About 30 per cent of women may experience the flashes for up to 2 1/2 years.
QUESTION: Can you discuss the meaning

of amblyopia? What causes it? ANSWER: Amblyopia is decreased or poor vision in an eye that has no detectable damage either in itself or the visual pathway. The eye does not develop normal sight during early childhood, usually because the child experiences double vision from a turned-eye condition and so suppresses the image falling on the turned-in-eye to avoid seeing double. The eye then becomes "lazy" from not being used. Vision is now poor in

that eye and the eye is considered to be amblyopic. This also occurs when one eye is out of focus with the other because of a stronger degree of nearsightedness, farsightedness or astigmatism.

Children should be checked at 6 months, certainly before age 3, so the doctor can diagnose and treat the condition while the child is still young. Once the visual system is completely developed, vision in the eye cannot be restored. Remember that the condition can go undetected because the child is not aware that he is seeing out of only one good eye. Careful eye examinations will reveal vision problems as well as any eye disease such as a cataract, which may lead to amblyopia.

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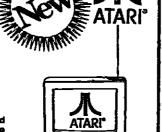
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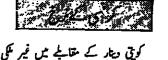
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واقعد شیعدر بنمایش محرمدی حس الدین کی ربائش گاہ کے

قریب چین آیاداعلی شیعہ کونسل کے نائب مرراہ ہیں۔

بوليس كاكمتلب كدان كاخيال ب كداس يم كانتلا شيعه

ربتمانس تصر زخى موسفوالول شرك كامرد ورائير

مى شال ب- بروت مى كرشته او بمول ك د ماكون

شى كل ياره افراد بلاك اور أيك سوافراد زخى بوسيك بين

باشمدے بیں لیکن وہ ترک وطن کر کے عواق جانچکے ہیں۔

انمول نے کما کہ ہمیں عرب مونے کی حیثیت سے تمام

مرب قدرول كى خواوان كاتعلق مى بعى مك سے بورباكى

کے لئے کام کرنا چاہئے۔ کوئی معری فرقی تعاون کے

بارے میں فیلٹر مارشل ابو غزالہ نے کما کہ یہ قعاون محدود

نیں ہے۔ انموں نے کماکہ اگر کومت کی جانب کما گیا

تومعراس کی کوئی بھی فتی ضرورت پوری کرنے کے لئے

فرى اقدام كرے كا- اس موقع ركوجي وزير وقاع في سالم

العبارح نے کماک او فوالہ کے ماتھ ان کی بات جے میں

فی شعبے می نوی تعاون اور فضائی اور بری وقاع کے سلسلے

مس مماروں كے تادلے كا جائزہ ليا كياہے۔ انسوں لے

اس بات کی تردید کی کہ کورت نے معرے ماتھ اسلیے کے

کسی مودے پر د منتا کئے ہیں جس کے تحت معر' کویت کو

بمألى تقى اوراس من يذى مقدار من يانى كالجمع بوجانااس

كفروب كاباعث اجد جناب العبيد ف كماكداس

جماز ك دوية كالكاوروجية بكال جماز كواراوي

اسٹیشن سے بہت دور حادۂ ہیش آیا۔ انموں لے بتایا کہ

جائے عادث میای کے مثرق عل جے سوچالیس میل دور

ے۔ انوں نے کماس مادہ کیا عث کوئی جائی فقدان

نس بوا۔ امر کی ، کریے کی ایک مشتی ق اس کے مملے کے

الفانيس اراكين كويجالياتها واس حاديثين كوجي جمازجس

ک مجموی الميت ٣٣ بزارچ سونن تحي الاعد كايك جماز

مے دائیں مبلوے یوری قرت سے محرا کیا۔ اسر کی ساحلی

كافقول كالكرتر عمان فيتاياك باناس كاجمازاني

تبت ير فكوريُ اكى بندر كاه كى جانب معروف مغرب.

سن الصقر ناى جيشالا اكاطياده قرايم كرے كا۔

بقيه كويتي جباز

بقيه الوغزاله

كمباعث جار بحارتي فوتى بلاك ورايك زخى بوكميا-

بقبه بيروت ، وهاكه

كه و تكه مه مفارت خانه ليما اور كينما كے تعلقات كرف

اسے فوی طور پر بر کرنے کا بھلد کیاہ۔

بقيه سمرى لنكا

کوتی جمازی امراد کے لئے جائے حادث پر بھیجی ممس کیکن مس جو آخری ربیدث لی اس مس بتایا کیاہے کہ جاز المحلى عدد وراب- كوى جماد امريك عد مرسور كداسخ التحويا جارباتحا

انداز کرے کی اور توجوان قیادت کو آگے لانے کے

تصیل نیں بتائی کہ مودیت سفارت کار کن مرکز میں ك مرتكب يائ مح بي اقوام حمده ك ضوايد ك تحتام کی حکومت ایے سفار تکاروں کو مکسے نکالتے کی مجازے جنمیں فوجداری مقدے سے تحفظ عاصل ہے۔ اقیام حقدہ میں سویت ہوئین کے سغیرالیکزینڈر بیلیونو کوف نے کماہے کہ انسیل موجت سفارت کاری کر فاری کے اقیام متحدہ کی ملامنی کونسل کے اجلاس میں معروف رہے

اس مرقع برایک معرفض بلاک ہو کیا آہم مسلمانوں کے مدبى وبنماعحم الجمال ف كملب كسي فض بطابرول كاووره برنے سااک مواجد اسرائل ولس کر علی نے بی اس فص کی موت کونندتی میت قرار دیے بوئے کما ے کہ اس کا آنو میں سیکے جانے سے کوئی تعلق سی ب۔ تر عان نے بتایا کہ مظاہرین کے پھراؤے یا تج امرائیلی فیٹی ذخی ہو گئے۔ مجدائعیٰ کے لیک عادہ نے امرائلی فوجوں کی طرف سے قائر تک کے جانے کی بھی اطلاع دی ہے لین امرائلی تر عمان کی طرف ےاس کی ترديد كي محلى بي ك علاقال يل محى آج زردمت مظاہرے ہوئے اور اسرائنلی فیمول کی طرفسے مظاهرين كومستشركرفى غرض سيمى جافءوالي فانزيك كياعث مظاهرين زحى بوطحك غزه شرش أيك بيني شابد نيتاياك اس ختن ذخيول كود يكماب جنيين كولي لكني ے زقم آئے تھے۔ ایک دومرے نیٹی شاہر کا کراہے کہ شرم سرات فلسطينيون كوزخى حالت مس اسيمال مي داعل كرايا كياب اسفيتايا كدامرا تكي فودل في فانرتك اس وقت كى جب مظاهرين في غزة شري امرائيلى فن مصبية كوافرز ببلاول ديا- مظاهر تنجية كوافرز براتش میر بر مین کے اور پیر او کیا۔ گرشتہ دس دور میں مظاہروں کے

بقيه وليت الريز اجمارت جیعت ددچن کی میچری جی شاط سے مبنہوں نے ۱۲۵ رزز بناشف رافشاى كحلاضيول دجي دجيرةسن ا ودفل موزز سف (ادا دوروس) مرکست می ۱۸ دونز شایت دجرومین خ اس بهد ترمیل کیلنز کافیعد کیا ق - آن مینر تحیال شرا ہے ہر وکھیں ہرم ۱۰ رونز بناستے -امنہوں ف معروس كو ٢٣ ، يرا وت كرك الله كعد كيس ك سلی وکٹ مامسل کی۔

دوران اسرائیلی فیدول کی کارروائیوں کے باعث سول افراد

بلاك ورايك سوافراو زخي موسيطين

بقيه بإكستان المكليب

رے میں اس سے مطوم ہوتا ہے کہ سیاست مب سے منافع بخش کاروبارے اسی وجہ سے جس فرد یا گھرانے کو ك بعائيول كاقبضه والحااب وبال يراس كامرف أيك اس كى لت يز جائدة واو مجر بو جائ يجيم مي بمل انموں نے بتایا کہ دو کشیاں پورٹور کو اور جیکس ولی ہے ا آبال قام نے آج دس رفز بنائے اور وہ ایمی کمیل رہ جیں۔ کل آرام کادن ہے۔ کبیل دیامہ افار کو ٹردع بوگ انگیند ف ای بلی انترم ۱۹۳ رز باے تے۔

> بتيه. جاموسي كاالزام بارے میں کچے علم نمیں۔ انہوں نے کما کہ دہ سارا دن مين أين النبو النبويوت كالتنبير يا حواتي ليم

بقیہ ، مقبوصنه عرب منظام رے ربورث کے مطابق ایسوی ایش کے ایڈرول نے یہ سامی فيمل كيلب كر قليائن ش امريك ك في او عداق ك سليلين الح عرم كو متوالل ندكر يح كيد يول ك آم دواس مستنے کو اسی طور پرھے کرنے کی کوشش کر میں پرلمی کو دخوکیاگی عدّا دومقامی اخبادات کے نماکندوں کو شف کی اجازت ہنیں تھی۔ بن اسی نے اپنے ٹی ب نظیر کا جوانٹروہ نشر کیا اہمی میں امنوں سے بتایا کہ یہ ان کی دندگی کاایک امم دنب جوصرف ایک بارة ما ب اور

كزشندوذ كالمكدنزع مشتل اسكورس حريد نوس دنزكا اضافه كيالودوسيم اكرم كى رفاقت بن ٢١ اور عيدا لقادركى مراكت يس مجموى اسكورش مهرز كالضاف كيار وه آن ۳۳۰ منت تک کریز پردے۔ وسیم اکرم پروس فری کی گیدر وکٹ کیرے باتھوں عارز بناکر آؤٹ ہوئے لیکن اس کے بعد عبدالقادر بھی انگلینڈ کے باولروں کے مائے جم کر کھلے اور انہول نے ان چھے اور چرج کے لگاتے موسة الرفز عاف السي ويود كافي في آوث كيا

المشا السلعالي والمج<mark>ى معها</mark> وممركوم كما خسسان ميت بى مماسب بوكاء ملدسے جلد دابطہ سكے لئے

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پیلز پارنی کے بمت سے ہم خیال اوگ عمران سلم لیگ على شال مورب ين ايك هلع كونسل كركن و بعارب یاس آئے کہ میرے گروب سی بھدوار کان بن اور ہم مب مسلم لیک میں شائل ہونا جاہے میں عادے سمی مديدادس ما قات كراوي بم فالني بناياك آب كو كمى تفلد أوى كرياس بيني وياب بمترب أب جلد تخریف فے جائیں درت جمیں چرای کو باتا بنے گا۔ دہ صاحب عداوس پاکتان شیار پارٹی کے کمٹیرا تاب السيقان كفالويارتى عركري بماي موياور مركزين وزيره تح ين جباي لوگ افتارت زاده عرصه دور نسيس ومسكلة توعام لوگ كييل نه حكمران يارثي يس جاس سلے ی میلز پارٹی کے امیداد کامیب بحت تحوث ہوئے میں و جارے بیر یاتی رہ جائی گر جماتگیر بدراكر مس بعثوف ابعى انس ركف يرضدي واس كا مزيد تقصان مو كالمان ميديد عشرش جو بيلزيارني كا باس كياد و آثاري ين كه يرياد جائ كا اور نواز گڑھ ہوا کر آ تھا کاربوریش کے ساے کوشطروں میں ہے مُرافِف جيت جائ كار ويرس مراد آب مسلم ليك اور مرف دو کا تعلق میلزیارئی سے باس سے زیادہ وزيراعهم محض بونيمر كاليوندلين مميان شجاع الرحمن كابير فيحل يتلز إرني لمان على كامياب دى بمعظر كره على و أيك اور باوروه بحى منده عي على معتاب منده ميدول بيمنل بنيلز يارني كرمينما مصطفي كمركا أبائي ضلت بمر اور بيون كى مرزين بوال يراصل قيت وي ين جس

قبی امکان ہے کہ اکتان اور انگینڈ کے درمیان مرا

السن بحى إدجيت كم لفيل كر يغير فتم بوجائد

فليائن

سال میں بہلی سروای کاففرنس تھی۔ رپورٹ میں کما کیا

ے کہ میں کام ربھند على سوعت ويول كى موجود كاور

علاقے مس اسر کی فرقی وجود کے بارے میں مسلسل فیر بیٹی

مورت حال علا قائل ملامتی کے لئے خطرے کا باعث بین

منتق ہے۔ رپورٹ میں علاقے میں اسن و امان و استحکام

بر قرار رکنے اور اے فروغ دیے کے بارے می جنوب

مشرتی ایشیا کے مکول کی ایسوی ایش کی کوششوں کی امریک

ک جانب سے تمایت کا ذکر بھی کیا گیا ہے لیکن ابیوی

نائل كالمل مكاميران وفات كالمواس

ابوى ايش ك درميان تجارتى بالسيون كربار يي

ممكسل اختلاف كثيبركي شراضلين كلباحث ين مكابير

اديك بيل مين فع عوامي من برأس موقف كالعلال مين

بقير. بي نظير ، بات بيت

ا بی دس ساله جدید دای طرح جاری د تحی گی- درین

افاء اخبارات كوتفتيم كے جانے والے الك بيان مي

انموں نے اپنے اس عمد کو دہرایا کہ شادی جمہوریت کے

بارے على اخبارى تما كدول كاس سوال كے جواب يى

انول نے کماک آصف ذرداری کولیک بداخا تران بندے

، خبادی نمائندوں سے طاقات سکے دوان صرفہ بغیر کی

اس موقع مرابسي اسيف دونون جائي ا دروالدمبت إداك

یں۔ واعنے و سے کران کے والد ذوالفقاد علی میٹ کر جانسی

شے و ک گئی تھی جیکدان کے ایک جائی بیرس میں بالک

بوطحت تقياود وومريت جانئ ايضفلات متعدومقدا

كاشكار موكى - والمرفليجري جار سال تحتيق سفالم موك

ہے کہ کامیاب کاروبادی فخص اور سوسیقار کی شریک

زندگ سے متعلق قوی امکان کی ہے کہ اسکی موت فاوند کی

طرية سائس كي ياري = مور ليكن وكلاء موليس والول إ

ك دج سے إكستان بين أسكتے.

بقيه. تفكرات

بعائى كامياب بواب اوروه بحي وه بعالى جواب تكسياست ے الگ ہوا کر آ قاباتی ہوئےں نے احتاب می حدی مس ليا- جس طرح سابق وذير اور كن اسبل جاويد باشي فالتخاب عل حد مس لياده كت بي كدان كاطقه تبديل كرديا قااصل وجديه بمؤلى كداس كمنقاب عن موبائي كورز كليناآن كمرابواتفا اوراس علاقد مرايك ايما تهانيدا دمقرد كرديا كياتحانو متعروبار معطل بوجكاتحا يحي الوسكية بين جاديد باشى در كياب كي كية بين ادير عادير كولى مجمود بوكيلب آكا الدجاف موداور مجموت كرف والے كون ست كمى كويتاكر كرتے برالب اسين لاءود ك ميركامهوابودباب ما فلبس يمل آب كيا ع ين كد نواز شريف في ميان المركوفت كراياب اس كمقالي مايق ميرميان شجاع الرحل يجرب کمڑے دہنے کی کوشش کر رہے بی انمول نے صدر ممكت الأقات كيداية ورفاد يمي ماضرى دى

من دیاده خطره بوسکت که انجی موت کاسب برسے

والكرفليور كاكمناب كرآب وكام كرت بيراس واثر

اداز واب كرآب كياسي ين ادراسكاور مس

الرات بوت يراب مكن د كهائي وعاب كه فاو عداي

تكرات اليناماته كمراع والمنتواس اس كايدى

مك عقل وواكس- مرف كام ي سي بلك شادى شده

جوروں کے درمیان بورے باہی کمریلو تعلقات ان کی

اذال است جايا كمياك اعزين الجينزيك ادائيكي نسي كرسكن

كوتكه اسكى در محراني كام انجام ميس بايد اباس ف

عدائت شروع وكي دائر كرديا بأورانعاف متوقع ب

بقه افغانستان

ان کے مطابق حومت و عمن مجامدین کو مضف والی فیر ملی

اراد کے بند ہوتے کا فغانستان میں موجود ایک لاکد 10 ابزار

سويت فيدل كي والهي شروع بوجائ كيد اس دن كا

نفین ہوتے ہی سوءت یونین افی حملہ کرنے والی

ادروائیال برند کروس کی۔ اوران کی خواہش ہو کی کہاس

روزے مصافی عمل شروع کر د اجائے۔ مودیت اور ان

وابس كي محراني كرائي اقوام حره كي امن فيعول كربيع

جائے کے متعلق اضوں نے کما کہ یہ فیملہ کرنا افغانستان

ك عوام كا كام ب- انهول فيها إكدافظانسان ك

متكر بنيواش بونيوالا أتنده اجلاس فيعله كن ثابت بو

كاكونك بيشتركام كياجابكاب انمون فيدوي يحي كيا

ہے کہ نجیب اللہ کی حکومت نے جس خولی اور مصافی

يد كرام كاعلان كيا**مًا سك شبت ما في نظر بي** ادر كومت

ے خالف تمی بزار ازا کا بے ہمیار وال کے بی جب

بر ماکر دو تمننول کی کوششوں <u>کے ب</u>عدانسیں منتشر کر دیا۔

بوليس في كماكداس تطيض الك بزار افراد كو كرفار كرالا

میا ہے۔ سرکاری اعداد وشار کے مطابق اسافراد زخی ہو

معين- جدولس قايد فص كبالمت كافاء كوناء

قرار دیا ہے۔ شام کوسیول کے مرکزی علاقے 'کوانگ جو

اور چولا ہوہے کے قریق شمول میں مظاہرہ کرنے والے

برارول افرادے ہولیس کاتصادم ہوا۔ مینی شلدین کے

مطابق بولیس جو پہلے احتجاتی مظاہروں کے دوران تحمل کا

مظاہرہ کرتی تھی اب بری بے رحی سے ان کے خلاف

کارروائی کردی ہے۔ صدر چن نے کما کدوداس فتم کے

الكهلا كام مماجرين وطن والبراوث أيمير

بتير مجنوبي كوريا

بنیه. دونمری جنگ تظیم

زعمل فسنزل يراثرانداز بوتي

آئے ہی اب ان کامقابلہ بی مائٹ کے سکتے بھی مشکل ہو کمیا بي نيمل آباد كامترميال نواز شريف كابستونى ب كالامور ين بعي إن كاليك بهوني اميدار بناج ابتاب حين أيك و نواز شريف يمل ميل المردود كر يك تقدد ومرب ان کار بنوئی کھے زیادہ تی معردف ہے لاہور کے میال وكل كبات فتم كرنے سے يالے بم آب كو لا اور على التلب كيك المحمواقد يجي آكاه كرنا ياجيس واقداى طقيل في آيجان عران قال كالول بسف فان التلب بارت يرباد ساوالول عمايت إلى أن كالك اميدوار بحى تحاج جوق فمرر آياد مرك فمرم میسف خان تھ ا تھاب کے دومرے دوز بارتے والے تخل اميدوار أكثم بوكر بيت والاميدار كوباريمال اور مبارکباد دیے گئے۔ کامیاب امیدار نے وارف والول يرليث تجعاور كركان كااستقبال كمااور علاقه ك معزدين كواكفاكر يحسب كوياعة يلاني الكرساست يمرير جكدي رويد اور روايت عام جو جاعة قو سياست بحى يل جاسئاور جميورت بحي متحكم موسك كي-لامود كايك وكد كيان عيلة بم آب كولامود

طرح بناب كامل قيت ميل ذاز شريف بن كر سائ

كے أيك اعزازے بھي آگاہ كرتے چليں گزشته دنوں أيك ابنج نك ك تق صول ير ملك ك مخلف شهول کے بادے میں لیک مروے کروایاجس میں دعر کے القد شعول ت تعلق ركم والدافراد سي يها كياتها كدانس إكتان كاكونساش يندب مردب كحمطابق مت بنده افاكس في عد افراد فلابود كواينا يستديده شرقرار ويادوس فبرركراجي دباعدافاره فعدلوكل فالنا ينديده شرقرار ديا- بدے شرول شراياد كوسى عے كم ووث المع مكن باس كاوجداس شركا فقافتان كالمرحد ادر کولول اورد مماکول سے قریب بوتابو۔ آپ کو بتائے کامطلب یہ برگزشیں کہ آپ سب لا مورش گرینائی اود بالث تريدن عل يزي - مطلب مرف يه ب كه الموركبار يض كماجا آب كالمود المعودى بعداب تك درمت جلا آلمب.

غير قانوني مظامرون كو يخى سے كيل دي كيد انسول ف

كماكداب قوم كوا تظلي مخارس فكل كر دوياره يداواري

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محا تظلبت كى مركزى محراس كمثل فيها عدادو شكر جارى

کے یں جیکے کے مطابق مرکاری امیدوار ۱۹۵ فیصد

دون الحرامالك الحاررادوول عديت محصين ببك

کم یانگ سمام ۱۲۳ کا کو ۴۴ بزارودث لے کر دو مرے اور کم

واسترحک ۱۱ لاکه وس برار دوث ف مر مرسه تمرير

میں۔ الیدیشن نے ان تائی کومسرد کر دیا ہے اور اینے

كاركن عكاب كاحجاج كالخود مركول يرفكل

آئیں۔ ایک مقامی رہمانے یہ احتراف کرنے کے بعد کہ

اے مرکاری یارٹی فے رشوت دی تھی خود کو آگ بھی

لگانے کی کوشش کی۔ امریکہ کے ماہری تعلیم " قانون

مازول اور مشيرول كالكاففار وكي كروب فيومم

كى جيست ب الخلبات ديمن جوني كريا على تح

بقیه بهازون پر حله

يدكك إسامت فانت اور محانت كامركز بكراجي كيناميل كيور الاسالاموى دومرايدا كاروارى مركز ین دیا ہے جمال کے لوگ بڑے دل دا لے بیل تصلب ان عي آب كو يحد حس عاسكة النول في حاري الملاويك ے قریب سے سی مرز اسٹرتی پاکستان کو ہم سے الگ بوت كتاعرم بوالين المورش اب مى بكال تعلق ر محتوا لے بنماؤں کیام برمزکن اور آبادیوں کے ام رکے جارب بیں حالا کھے بلک ولٹن کے تیام کے وقت جو نوك جمّ تروسينان عرب زياده كاتعلق اس تطاع قا۔ دک کیات یہ بوئی کہ جار پاکتان کے تیکیواد اور لاہود کے یوائے سیاستدان میاں حیوا فالق میج میر کرنے مح اور دوستوں کی باہوں میں دل بار محصر ہم فے اخلیر مى خروحى توايد محموى بواموت كافرشتد عادي ياس ے گزر کر کیا ہے جدر وزیملے ملے تو مؤک پر گاٹی دوک كركانى وير تك لابوركياتي كرت رجك مك ته دعك عن أيك خوايش تنى كدالابوركى كجد فدمت كر جادك مكر کائی جگہ تدیل کرنے کونہ کس کہان کی بھی فیاز كوكس محى كمزاكر سكاب ليكن ولا كمال كراكر على الما كانثى كومطوم بوجانا يحك كون فيلذر كمال كمرا يجادر

اب ووخوائش بورى بوتى د كانى نسى دىي سى كنف عرص ہے کاربوریش کا کوشٹر آرا تھا کاربوریش کے لئے بھی میری یارٹی (بیلزیارٹی) نے بھے تکٹ نسی دیا۔ بس آدى كويرى جكه فكن وياوه برى طرح بث كيافوا بش تحى أيك وقعه ميرين كراسيخ شمري حالمت بدل دون اس كابرباد شده حن والي لادل - بم في كماميال صاحب حوصل ند إري هت كري آ كي بي توا تقلبت أكن مركم في الح وقت اور محت إلى ع فظ جارب ين ان كاوالي آنا ممکن نمیں ہو آجب کام کے قائل نہ را تومیّرین بھی کیاتو کیا مو گادوجادردزاحرد فترجائے بوئے ہم فےدیواردل برت ے يد ميں بل مكاكد يجي فيلندول في مكد تدل كرا، يوت يوسرويك جن يركها تقالا بود كو يجاز - بم أس موضوع بران سے نیلی فون برات کرف کاسون عادے تے کدونشاور محسان کیاتھ سے انکل ی کٹل مجھے۔ خامنفرت كرسيوت وضعدا داد كقرته كفسك حيار ايسيانو فياس كمعلق اتختر زوويار الكك يسن زندكي ش بمت دوير كمايات محروثت الديير بمي كمى فنعل كام يرخرج نس كيا ايك سيئذا درايك دويد بحى منائع نسي كيابرلحه كام كيابرييه ممى غريب ير قري كيا-ائی محت اور کمانی سے ایک مقام تک آئے تھے لیکن

ہوائی قائر سے ہاک بوگئ ۔ استقبالیہ کے دوران برامدل افراد کردش می میس کر آخد افراد کو معمول پونس بی بقد - مقبوصه توب روحل

ودمره طرف البوسى الميزولي محصطاني كالمتحطلي خيان خال سيعرب بحث اكد بمرشؤ ومزا كودس حرك وحلول كالمح كتيمل كي على عند فيتون كارد اندكيكا. نلى س جدال كرندان كرساني شكر مرتزكرر حریران کاریم فکانحادہ کے کوکٹک تھے۔ عارمين المجي كمسكول ديورس نهين لاسكي.

بقیہ بےتقیر ، شادی ورت بلاک ہو تی۔ وہ تقریب گاہ کے قریب واقع ایک

تكاح كے بعدي تظير اور التے دولمائر كت

ادهاعلیل کے مید الرابات کی تحقیقات کا مطالبہ کیا ب تاہم پیٹر لوگول کاخیال ہے کردوہ مالیوں کامیابی کی بیادی وجدانودیش کے دونوں رہماؤں کاایک مو کر ا تخلب نه الله الما ما يح ك مطابق الوزيش ك دونون امیددارول نے ال کر ۸ء۵۴ فیصر جبکدرون آئی ووےاس كے مقالے على ٣٤ فيمد كے قريب دوث ماصل كے ب كين كمطاق جازية عن ايراني كشنيون مذكراقك جماز كاهمله آل يحاف في يوى كوسش كردبا باددوه يورى و فآد ع فلج عد إمر فكتى كوشش كرريا ب أجم يه منرها إلياكه اس كي فوى منول كون ي--

النزيشل كاليك ديورث كرمطاق استقباليك اس تقريب ك موقد مرخوشي كاظمار كملت بواكي قائز مك سدايك عمارت کی بالکونی سے مظرد کیدری تھی کہ غلطی سے ایک

كشتيون في واو موى سے كل تمي الرب ك الكسال بردار جماز كودواره فكاند ينايا - يمط حط مرضيح يس جهادي آك بمزك اللي جبك ووسر عط كاستعمد جماز كم يمل كود بشت ذرو كر ناتفا_

ے ای آواز اٹھانے کا موقعہ الاتھا۔ کار کول کی گاڑیوں كار بل برييلز بارنى كے جمندے امرارے تعاور بعثو خاندان کی راکش کو کے توسیع کمنٹی کی ایک یاد گار پر ماندان کا جائیں تف خوال سرد تکاریجار امالہ اللہ کا کا بارٹی کا جائیں تف خوال سرد تکاریجار ارائیلہ اللہ کا اس تغریب کے بعد کراچی کے سب سے غریب علاقہ لیدی کے ایک میدات میں ارائی کے کار کول نے وولما ولمن كيلي ليك يزيد استقباليه كايروكرام بنايا تعاجس من بوعد اس موقد پر آنشبازی ابر لوک رقص وموسق كا يروكرام ترتيب ديا كيا قعله بونايحظ برلس

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معياره نشاته بنايا كيا. جعرات كو امراني تيز رفار

(۱۹رايريل تا ۱۹رمني) آج آپ کوایک ذاتی مطلطے پر توجہ مرکوز رمھنی

مطھات کودقت کے تقاضوں کے مطابق آزور کیں۔ وومرول كوقائمه بخاف كالموث يس-يرج بوزا الله والم

(۲۰۰رمی ۱۲ - ۲ربون) آب كولك مجاخيال موجع كالكين يدقد دريرانا ہوگا۔ آپ چرول کواچی طرح مرت کر سکیں مرب ایک:اتی مطلع کو نظراندازند کریں۔ عملی رویہ اختیار

بزج مرطان المنافقة (17, 20 7117, 246)

مالات موافق بول محادد آب كي معللات م لبنادات فال على ك_ آب كو بمنزى ك في يحد تبديليل كم لئ تاريها جائد موجوده وتت بدافاته وافعائي يرداشت كي قيت بيداكري-

من الله (۲۲ر جولائی تا ۲۱راگست)

آب بعت ما کام عمل کرنے عمی کامیاب دیں معد آپ ک ایجاد کی صلاحیتی آپ کو غیرمعمل مظے سے مضنے على مدديل كيد آپ كولين الل ے پورا قائمہ افعاہ چاہے۔ میزاری کے اظمار سے



(۲۰رد ممبرتا ۱۹رجنوری) ما مج ير جلد ويني كار فإن رب كا- مى ا فرك زیاده مبرو^حل کامطابره کریں۔

الغرائك ذاتى معلط يرتوجدين، زيرو كاثرات آپ كواسية ساتحى كاسامناكر في مدودي ك- تدر

(۱۹روزدی تا ۱۹ر ماری) كى ايسے واقع كے بارے على بريشان ته جون جو مجي وقوع يزير نسي بوسكاء آب مي اليداجي وقع كو كوري مرجوابداش بمترد كحالي تمين ويناتفا- آپ

(۲۰/ماديع تام ۱رايرل) آج عاد ك اثرات آب كومشكل ع يجل ر مجن کے۔ بردسوں کے ماتھ آپ کے تطقات الصدين ك- آبالك كاس يكوبائي كفر سكاني كامظاهره كريس-



مرف سي ميني كدوران أيك درجن عيزا كونينكر أبرأن

اور عراق کے حملول کا شکار ہو سے بیں اور بعض نیکروں کو

فيملى كمصنئ فليدش فالي بيمعهاني مجلي وكميعث منطقر الدهد جامرداملئ فحداصف زحيريه ١٥٥٠٠ (0-4--04-4



الرئيم فهم المست كوت مي مقم إكسّان بسيلز الإن كي عهد يداران ال الدكان دول ك جريب ني نظر محمر والمساصف على زرداريك ننادى يرولى هبا وكميا ومبش كرت بن ادرا بركرست بي كرير تادى بيليز بارقاد عوام كي تعلقات ورابط مي زير تقويت كا إعت بركي . لبشيراتم د بهوان ، بنون فان ، بتربر ی فرمارت ځېراکسلم حاندېد : دا نا محروبار

چليف اسات كاخيل ركيس كد آب جو يخد كد سے ہیں دوسرے اسی ایمی طرح مجھ رہے ہیں۔ اپنی

رع د لو المسالح

(۲۰۱۰ جوری تا ۱۸ روزدری) آپ کوعمل کی آزادی پر قرار ر کھنی چاہے۔ طویل المصت آب و تبدلمان لانا واست ين ان عل آب او کامیانی ہوگی۔ ایک برائے دوست کو آپ کے رابطے ع فوقى وكداردياناكي-

ارعوت على المساح

كواسين افكار كو تمي أيك جكه مجمد موجلت ت بجانا چاہئے۔ بھلائی کا دواب بھلائی سے دیں۔ JE 8 61.

(۲۲راگست تا ۲۱۰رمستمبر) آب کو جلد کوئی اقدام کرنا ہوگا۔ دیا ہونے کے لئے

أكر آب كمي الجيمة موقع كوصائع كرنانسين جاييج آ آب کو کم کھانا چاہئے۔ کلی بندھی دوراک ے اس سلسلے میں کوئی کامرائی شیں ہوگی۔ امنی میں تکن ش ري - قراضى كامطابره كري رع ميزان 🕳 🛴 🗘

للاتهاد أراح (۲۲رستمبرتا ۲۲ر اکتوبر) صورت حال آب كيزياده مواق بوكي اور آب كو ایک اچھا موقع میسر آئے گا۔ کمی تحریلو منظے کو فلر اندازنه كرين- ابي حس مزاح كوخود تك محدود ركين اور غلطیوں سے محاط رہیں۔ وانشمندی کا مظاہرہ

> 01 ر ۲۷راکتونرتا (۲رومبر) آب كوبمت ذياده افراجات كالإعث يخيوالي كوني

ير فريد في فوايش كو بجل والتاجاب، الى محت كا پراخال، کمی- تک دشیر شجالنه ول

(۲۲ رومیرنا ۱۲ روسیمیر) عارك اثرات أب كربحروت كزارن كالموند فرائم كرين محد كب كوالماليندى سيجا جائ آب جو کچھ سکھنے کی کوشش کردے ہیں اس کے ارے عل آب كوظم ماصل بوناخروع بوجائ كار جلدادى



الميتنان من سرز كن مناف كي رئيستما في طير محسو گاڑیوں اور سائلکوں ہر سوار ملک کے مخلف جھوں سے آئے تھے۔ آنے والوں میں نیر ممالک سے آنے والے

پیلز پارٹی کے بیمن کار کن بھی شامل تھے جن میں مخدر اسم مرمای ایک مخص فروشادی می شرکت کے لئے اندان ے آیاتھا تایا کہ اس فرص کرائے یہ آیک بار پاؤنڈ ا خاندان كايك تر تمان كے مطابق اس موقع يرد بور زول تریج کئیس رائٹر کے نمائندے کوپتایاک وہ بھٹوکی یاد آن کور موشیں کیا گیا تھا گاہم کافٹان میں واقع انکی رہائش گاہ کے کرنے بیاں آیا۔۔ اس نے بحر کیا لیاس میں دھول ب یبر ای یارنی سے سیتلوول کارکن ای اور سابق وریر اعظم رقص كرتى موتى عورتون كالك كروب كاطرف الثاره ووالقضار على بعثو كى بدى بدني تصوير س الفائ الى خوتى كا کرتے ہوئے بتایا کہ ہے مریب لوگ میں جنیں بھٹو کی وج اظمار کررے تھے۔ وہ ٹرکول' بیول' موڑول' محدحا

مجه مج ایت دونون بعانی اوروا لدیمت بادکتے جیس مے نطبید کی اجادی افاون سے بلت بیت

ا ہے۔ دوائی ذات میں خودالیک اکانی میں اور بیٹ رہیں گی۔ دہ مغیدر مگ کے کشیدہ کاری کئے ہوئے لباس میں تھیں اور ا کے ہاتھوں پر متالکی ہوئی تھی۔ وہ اپنے والد اور سابق مرحوم وزبر انتظم ذوالفقار على بحنوك ايك قد آ دم يور زيث کے نیچ میٹھی اخیاری نمائندوں سے باتیں کرری تھیں۔ انمول نے کما کہ شادی شدہ حورت کی حیثیت انکی سیاست میں کوئی مانطت میں ار ملے گیاوروہ حکومت کے طاف

كرايي- ٨ار دمبر (اپ) ياكتان كي ايوزيش رجما س ب تظیر بھٹونے اپنی شادی کے ون اخبارات کے مغملی نمائندوں سے بات چیت کرتے ہوئے کما کہ یہ شادی استے ساس کیرز کو متاثر نسیں کرے گی۔ استے مكان من جس كمابرا كم يتكرون حامى ومول بجاكر افي خوشی کاظمار کردہے تے مسب تظیے نے کما کہ شادی کا مطلب يوسي كداتمول فياتي ذات كسي كي سيرو كروى

ز کاح کی ماده قریب من ندان عقر می اور وستول کی تمرکت ز کاح کی ماده قریب من ندان عقر می اور دوستول کی تمرکت نیادی میں کارکنوں کا استقبالیہ ، هوائی حشا ٹرنگ سے اسیک خودت علاک ہو کمکئی

كراجي- ٨١ر وتبر (ايجنيز) كراجي من أن ميلز پارٹی کی شرک چینزشن اور ایوزیش کی رہنما بے تظیر بعثو شدھ کے ایک دمیدار ساست دان کے بیٹے اور کراچی كم آجر آصف على دروارى ترشته ازدوان بي سلك بو گئیں۔ نکاح کی تقریب بہت سادہ تھی جس میں دونوں خاندانوں کے قرمی اعزہ اور دوست شریک تھے۔ بھٹو

كراتي ١١٠ دسمبر(ايبنين بعنظبريضغيرظلخبايكا شائندوں کو بتا اگر امنوں سے دولبا کے خاندان والوں کو دوایتی ۱۵ د جوژون کی بری کی مجد حرف دد جوژسے بینے پر احرادکیا تھا۔ امہوں نے زادوات ٹین بھی مبہت کمی کی ہے۔ اود اینے فائدان کوجہر شینے کے گئے جی منبع کر دیا تھا۔ اپنو ف كديك ده شادى كوانتباني ساده دكانا جامتى بي -ابنول نے اس پرمسرت ہی ہرکی کہ پاکستان کے حوام ہے ان کی شادى يربهت فوش اورجين دخروي كااظمباركيا بع. لينبال جانسے نزن س ليبيا كاسفات از فرى طور يب فرنے كاحكم

يوكننة ذكوا فى كشافرا ودان كالك كوبعى كيسنيا يربط حبراني وكيايت كروي كمنى رافلت کرنے کا اثرام عائد کرتے ہوئ جاری کبا کیا مب كنياك وزير فارجه زجاديه ادغونوكان آئ نيولي من بو كذا كهائي مشنز كوايك مراسله وياجس مي كما كما ے كاتبول في مرحدى الوائى كيار من الي اخبارى بان می کنیا کے مدرداپ مولی کی توین کی ہے۔ کینیا کے اِنی کمشر کیٹونگی اور اکے نائب کو کیٹیاہ ہے ا بانے کیلئے ویس منٹوں کی ملت دی گئے۔ لیماے

نیوبی- ۱۸رومبر (رائٹراپ) کینیائے ہوگنڈا کے دواعلى سقارت كارول كو آن كينيات علي جان كاعمويا عدد وفول مكول كروميان اى مفع مشترك مرمد بريدا ہونے والے تازع کے بعد جاری کیا گیا ہے۔ اس کے علاوه كيتياكى طرف معلييات مجى كماكيني كروه نيروني ي المضمفارت عاف كويند كردے - كينيا كى طرف سے يہ تم لیسا کے سفارت کاروں پر کینیا کے معاملات میں عمین



٨٧٨ر دين الثاني ٨-١٢٠ هدم مفتر ١١ دوم مرسر ١٥ ٨٠ د چيف ١ يا ويار الله

ركاديى المبيدواركى كما كمهون ووشون سيكالمبسالي كااعدات

احجاج كرني فرالول كفحث لا بوليسس ك ي رحس نكاد وال ۳۷ را فرادزخی، ایک مستراد گرفتا ر

هِنگا مون كوكيك له دياجايگاء مَسرحِن سيول ٨١ر ومبر (ايجنيز) جوني كورياش مركاري

امیدوار روہ آئی وو کے صدراتی استخلیات میں اور یشن کے تنول امدوارول کے مقاملے میں بری سبقت حاصل ہونے کی اطلاع ملتے ی انتظامت می وحاندلیوں کے الزاملت عائد كرتے بوئے زيروست مظاہرے شروع بو محتيين جنبين كيلت كمسلته يوليس يدى بدرحي كامتابره کردہی ہے۔ صدر چن وجوان نے کماہے کہ فروری میں ت منتخب صدر ك عمده سنهما لئے تك وه اقتدار برائي آمني گرفت مضيط ركيس ك- آخ الصب جنولي كودياك عار بزار نفری پر مشتل بولیس فیرس نے ایک فوٹی طرز کا آپریش کر کے جونی سیول کے ایک اجھانی مرکز پر قابش ان دوبزار طلبه اورشريول كوزيردسي بابر تكال دياج تكاوعول تھا کہ ان کے پاس وحائے لین کے جیت موجود بی-پولیس سے دوید و مقالبے میں مظاہرین نے پھر اور بیڑول کا استعال کیا جبکہ پولیس نے پائی اور آسو گیس سے کو ا بأت روسرت صفحه بار

ی امدورفت معطل رہی '



حنوبى كوديا ميب انتفابات نعتم هوفي بوا منظاميرى كادكن ويوادوس بريط هوئح انتحاب يوسض صاف كرده هير

فاوندى طرويس بيرى ونسقل موني والرم كيفكرات عال ليوار تصفيرين

انعان- ٨اردمبر (كونا) ليك منعتى مابرنفسات كي طرف سے کی جانے والی تحقیق میں خیردار کیا گیا ہے کہ مورتیں السین خاوشدوں کے کا مول سے متعلق بیاریوں کا شکار موکر مرسکی میں۔ بات فیلڈ بیل بیکٹیک کے واکٹریں۔ فليجر فديورث عن وكحاياب كدمرد حفزات اي كأم ے مجھنی مجھنی کے خات میں اس طور مگروں میں لے جاتے اورین اجو بان ایدا عبات بواسکا است اس سلط میں اتوادہ تشویش ان حورتوں کو ہو سکتی ہے جو کار دباری لوگوں ' وكلام ، يوليس والون ، سكول السيكنون اور مرد نرسول = على بولى يس والزفليور كادعى بكدايد كس ما يكس ايك بهازير اگ مع لاك مى د كوس به كارا دار تباه به دكيا

جعمالت كومالسديد مك مكالى برداد جهتساند برا برانى كمشتيونك دوستك د وستكل مدر در من المران ال جازول ير ميزائل مارا- ايران كى جلّى كشتيون ت جن جازوں ير تملے ك محان مىلائيرا كے يرقم بردار جاز كايوسودى تل إعاف كاكام كرياب والارسام عله ہوجانے کے باعث وہ پانی میں کھڑا ہو گیا ہے۔ آہم کی جانی تقصان کی کوئی اطلاع نسیں لی۔ جماز رانی کے دراکع کے مطابق ناروے کی ملکت ایک جماز (هیدی کاری) کا بنائے مرح کروب ایرانی جل کشتیوں آلوني فكومشائي جاهيدنش تفتقرنيت سويب سعشدادست كادكسوسك سيرنسكال دياجا ليسكا نے ختانہ یا یاجس کے نتیج میں آگ بوزک اتھی ہے۔ یہ موجود سیکنڈ سیریٹریوں کی تعداد سترہ ہے۔ امریکی اخبار جاز کوجی عل لے کر جارہا تھا۔ جماز رانی کے ایک اعلی والتنفن بوسف نے بتایا کہ سویت سفارت کار کا نام حدیدار کے مطابق هیمی کاری کے کیش نے بیغام میجا ، کاکوف ہے۔ دریں اٹاء امریکی محکمہ انصاف ایک در سلتے نے بتایا ہے کہ سیومت سفارت کار کو لکال

مناسه ۱۸ دمبر (ایجنیز) ایران کی جنگی کشتیون ن آن جنوبي فليجيس دو آئل سير يحرول ير عمل كرك انسل مضان پنچایا ب جبکه عراقی طیاروں فے امران کے

کندن ۱۸ بهمبر (کوا) برطان ی عکومست کوایج اس

املام آباد ۱۸ د ممبر (اپ) لیک سیویت سفارت

کرتے بنا یا ہے کہ افتحالستان سے سوویت فیھول کی واپسی ي بيطين وزي ان كي وجس المبيغ حملي كمل طور برند كروس گی۔ اکتان می سبونت مقرحبد الرحمٰ وزیروف نے المشيوث أف اسشر يثيعك المنزي تطاب كرتي بوت يتايا كرسويت يونين اور افغانستان باره ميني يا اسے کم وصف فردول کی واپسی پر متفق ہو گئے ہیں۔

ت د افغان ایم بین گاردائیون آس کی روز مرا یان تاریخ ایرائیون آس کی روز استو ۱۱۸ دیمبر و دانتوا دوسی خبردسان ایسنسی تاش نے اواج دی سے کہ آج مغربی افغانستان محدمثبر ہوات یں افغان مجالم بن کی طرف سے دکھا جلنے والاہم وحاکمے سے بھٹ گیامیں کے نتیج میں ایکشخص الک اور ام زخی ہوئے ہیں ۔ اس کے سطائق ریم ہران کی سرمد کے قریب واقع مشہر کے مرکزی بازاد میں میشامیس کی دجہ سے کٹی عادات کو تقدمان مینیا کا بل سے ایک داروٹ میں اک رے جی بال ہے کہ ایک معالیت باخی گروپ ہے بس كى قيادت محد مع تقوي كرات عقف محومت ك خلاف اینی مرگرمیاں بندکر دی ہیں۔

احتجابى مظاهران كروسوي دوزتين فلسطينى مظاهرين هلاك، متعدّد مطاهرين ذهى بوركم

نسیں بیٹی تھی۔ امرائلی فیوں نے آن القدس میں مسلمانوں کے میرے انتائی مقدس مقام محداثیں میں جمعه کی تماز اوا کرنے والے افراد پر آنسو کیس جیلی-امرائیلی وربیوں نے وعوی کیا ہے کہ یہ آنسو میس ان مظامر من پر میمیکی می جواسرائی فیون پر بخواؤ کررے تھے۔ بلات دوسرے صفحہ پر

١٢٠ رساله منعيفه كورنده حلا دبا و حاكه ۱۸ وسمبر (راستر) بنظ داسش كي معمر ترين ۱۴۰ رسال حودت تنجان بی بی کو تا معنوم حمل ٔ ورواب شد زیره حبلا دیا۔ بالسي كاخيال سيسال باداعى مودت أودُ حاكد كمد لا ديك الق زمین سے ما دھے کے ملسیے جس باؤے کیا ایاہے سم میں ہی ك بين اور دومريث فاون والمصطورت بن . متبوضه القدس ٨١ر وتمبر (اب- رائثر) متبوض

مغربي كنار اور غرة كى في كعطاقين يس آن دسوير دوز بھی فلسطینی شرول نے شدید مظاہرے جارے رکھے جن کے دوران اسرائیلی فیتوں کی فائزنگ اور دیگر کارروائی ش تین فیض بلاک اور متحد زخی ہو مئے۔ اس کے علاقہ مشرقی افتدس می گزشته رات برطانوی قو نصلیت بر آتش كيريم ي حمل كياكياس كباعث كوني جاني نقسان مس موار امرائل بولس ني تاياب ك قلطين باشدول نے مفیوضہ مغربی کنارے اور غربہ کے علاقیل شرائمی امرائل گاڑیوں رہ آت مربم سیتھے۔اسے قبل کرشہ التاركوالقدس عن امركي قو نصليث يريمي دو آنش ليم م بينيك محصّ تصلين أن كريضت من فض كو كوني كزند

سَ ابیب ۱۸ ومبر (رائش) لبتان کی تحریک

حراحت کے دوارا کین آن امرائل کی مرحدے تین میل

موائل کے آگا دی ملیشیا دستوں اور لبستانی شعربیک مزاجمت کے درمییان شد عبد او آئٹ

لبتان كى نام نماد فون ك ساتھ الزائي ميں بلاك بوسخة-سكورثى ك وريعول في الاسكال الرائي من ام نماد فون كاليك ركن بعي بلاك بو كباب- فورى طور براس بات كاعلم نسين بوركا كدلبتاني تحريك حراحت كاراكين كسي امراتیلی محوں ر المد كرنے كامنسوب ركھتے ہے يان كا یروگرام قیدیوں کے اس کیب پر حمل کرنے کا تعاجمال نام نهاد فوج نيخ سازه حيتين سوشيعه باشندول كوتيد كرد كها ہے۔ اس کیمپ ے دبائی پانے والے افراد 'نام نماد فن کے اراکین کے تقدو کی شکایات کر بچکے ہیں۔ ووس ی جانب بيروت بس كزشترات أيك فربي شيدر بنماك كمر ے دوسو گزے فاصلے پرایک یک اب ٹرک میں دھاک کے یاعث اس میں سیار ووعورتیں ملاک اور چار افراد زخمی مو محد جن من ایک بچه جی شال ہے۔ پولیس فہنایا ہے كديم كايد وجماك فرك ك الجن والي عصر بن وااوريد بالمائدوسرے صفّحہ بو

انواکئے جانے والے لبنائی جوار کے بیٹے کی اِلَی

بیروت ۱۸۰ دسمبر داری البذان کے ایک میسانی تبولر مکے م م رسال بیلیے کو دو ماہ بعد جاری کا وان م مطالب كرف والد احواً لنديًا ن سع دبائ في حمي سب روزيًا الغمادكي ايك ديورث كمصمطال ١٥ راكتوم كومع في سيّو من انوا كت ما ي والصالكن مطاير في إلى ين البنان كع وذي العباحث اللطيشيا عوم مراء تبير ميري کی کوششش کو دخل سے۔ دیورے میں بیمبی بنایا گیا ہے کہ اس دیا فیک دوران پائے الزاد کے اس مروه کو عى ال النشائ ترما وكراليات من ااس اعوا عن

کھویال کے ممانرین کو عبوری الدد <u>سیح مسا</u>نکار توبارك مادمم وكزنا المركدك ومن كارباس كاروان فربعاتی عدال که اس تعطی و سے اکار کرد واسے سِن من اسے محم دیا کہ تاکہ وہ بھو مال کے تمار ن کو ع ماکرود الر کی عودی ا دادوا م کو ہے کسی ک اسے امریکی کے میڈکوارم مصحارى كمنے والے ایک میان میکاسست کو اواز وسا مے بغر ودائر کی وف سے عوری ایڈو دسنے کا فیصل تھاست در دومرى تهودتيل كي عام قوائن كادداية كفطني برخلاف ب



عدالقادون كما 1. ونوميں جاويك شامل تق ، ايم برى كسيك كيند يرحيده كا لسكاتے هو كم

ہے۔ امری حکومت نے مقبوض مخربی کنادے اور غرہ کی واشكن ١٨ و دمبر (الجنسيز) مقبوضه عرب علاقول نى كى صورت حال برانى تشريش كااعاده كيا جك سووت معنى برائة وقاح اسن في قطيق عوام كفاف اسرائلي بافت دوسورے صعنعه يد لاكت كے خلاف ونيا يحرش شويد و عمل كاظمار كيا جارا

وہشت کردی کی ذمت کی ہاور اینے قانونی حقوق کی ا عالی کے لئے جدوجد کرتے ہوئے قلسطینیوں کے لئے ٹھوس جمایت کا اظمار کیا ہے۔ امریک کی ریکن حکومت في اسرائيل اور فلسطيني دونون ير زور دياب كدو تشدد كو وسعت نه دیں۔ جعرات کی شب سینظروں شع بردار بحرمن البطبي الوويران مي برشازون مظاهرين اقوام متحده عن اسرائنلي مثن كيابر جمع بو محاور مغوضة عرب علاقول على امراكل كم اتحول فلسطينيول كى حاليه بلاكت ير احتجاق كيا- تقريباً جارسو مظاهرين عل فلسطيني و قدامت بسند ميودي اور سياه قام امر كي بحي شال بحرين ١١٠ دسمبرد دائره أنبلج كيمنول مناحى ملاسق بتصبح كقيما فحائب بوئة تصجن يرامرائنلي تشدوش بلاك يرمز كرك دجسے سودى وسى كر قصولے يى مونے والے ٢٢ نيجوانول كنام ككتے :وئ تھے عرب ديران الزيرمث يرفغاني فريشت يملطود يرمعطل حکومتوں نے مقبونہ عرب علاقیل میں فلسطینیوں کی بوهي جبر بحرن اور الزلبي كدموان وون يرفضرون د در گیال بیان کیلنے بعادت مداخلت کی ایل ک-کے لئے بروادوں کی مرودفت میں حل اوا ، بحری میں م عرب سفیرول اور سفارت کارول کے ایک وفد فے جعرات منطقت نے مآمرودنت بنددی ادر کم اذکم 7. بروازوں كونتى ديل من يحارتي وزمر مملكت برائ خارجه امورا يدورة کو ٹروی فک قطر کے دوحہ ا مُراہِ رسٹ پرا تر : پڑا جگرا بڑھی ون المرو سے معوضہ عرب علاقوں کی آازہ ترین

كى يىلنىيدى كەلان مرددىكىش . هرالين معيشت كيلئه موت كابيغام بي بنگادلیش کے اہرین اقتصادیا کی وارننگ و ماکد ۱۸ د د ممرا دائر فبظر مین کے صدر مین ماتیا نے من اعلی حکام سے الاقات کی احدایک ا وسفالگ كى برا الون ادرم كاموا سينيف والعداقة عادى نقعانات كابائزه لإ- واضح مربي كربتنكر ديش كطهري اقتصاديات في خبروا دكياسي كدايوديش كي بركراون كم بتعج بس بنظر دمش کی میلے سے جار معبشت کومزیدا قابل كان فقان بيني مكاب، ومرى طرف الودلين ك ربناؤر في بغة برّالي كراف كه نفسنعر ب الاعظال كياسيد ايك امراققهاديات كمحمطال ي اس مك شيد مع موت كالبيام ب جس كى كل سالان برأ كمات دو ادب والرسصة يا ده بنين بن -

كى چە وكتى كر يكى تحين. اسكے بعد عامر ملك نے اپنے دلسط المريز <u>نه يريد بورس</u> اليون كے خلاف ۹. دکش پر عههر رنز بناکر انگرختم کردی جارت ١٨. وممبر (دائش، وليسف الدين ف الدين كركث بورةكي يريذ يذخش اليون كمنفطات مسدوزه ميج ك يعطدوزاى كحيل كرفائق برد وكثران يرعم مدرنز بنائد اوركينان ولوين دجرة سف أخكز ختم كريف كااعلان كرويا . وليدف المريز كداس كداسكور عن وكل كيب و باقت دوسور عصده و

باره مر آؤن بونے ہے اسکور کے ۱۳۹ ایر بختیسے پاکستان

عام ملک کی شدانداد میپیشندگ ، عبد الفت ورینے باؤلروں کی ذبر ست پسٹ انٹی کحیب كراجي- ١٨رومير (رائم) ياكتان فالكلنذك خلاف میرے اور آخری شن مجے کے میرے روز کھیل تتم ہونے تک موکوں کے نقصان پر ۱۳۲۵رنز بنائے۔ پاکتان کے آل راو ننڈ ر عامر ملک نے جوایادو مراشث تحیل رہے ہیں' آئ تقریباً مارا دن بیشک کی اور آؤٹ بوية بغيراكيانوت رنزيناكر موجوده شث ميربزيس بأكستان کی گنج کو تقریبا چینی بنادیا۔ تین نسٹ میچوں کی میریز میں پاکستان کوم مطمع کا کی سبقت حاصل ب۔ پاکستان نے آج چارو کول ير ١٣٣ مكور سے كھيل كا اعاز كيا اور شروع ى الساسكودودكول كانتسان كاماماكرا يراجب لك كيل شروع بون كے بعد دو مرے ى اوور من اين ويحطود زي اسكوره دير آؤث بو كفي جبر المرف على كے

جص سع مدن المصفِّر أوا كاطبادون كم حكول مصنّعات كوئى مبيعو تديني بأوا: مسِّيخ سَالمُ لعبياح

مركت بين آفوالي مشتركه فون كي تشكيل كيارك من خرول كى ترديدك- انمول فاخبار توبيول في محفظو کرتے ہوئے کما کہ اس نوعیت کے کمی مجھوتے برار دن اور معریا کمی اور عرب ملک کے درمیان و سخط منیں ہوے 'انمول نے کماکہ معری فوٹی 'کمی بھی ضرورت مند مرب ملک کو فنی مشورہ فراہم کرنے کی غرض سے ٹیکنیشنوں یا تربیت فراہم کرنے والے افرول ک حیثیت معرب جاسکتیں۔ انوں نے کا کہ معرق مسلحانواج اى صورت مي مقريب بإبرجائي كي جب عوام اس کی منظوری دی محے۔ ابران میں معری قیدوں کے بدے میں ایک سوال کے جواب میں فیلڈ مارشل ابو غوال نے کما کدوہ معری قیدی ' عراقی فوقی میں کی تک ان کے ہاں عراق کی شریت موجود ہے۔ وہ معر کے حقیق _ بالى دوسرے صفحت

مفراز في مترك في مصليه موسي ينكي كارديد ریانی ۱۰ دیمردکونا)منود کابخریسک مرکاری فعاتع نے اس فرک زندکی ہے کا ن کے ایک و کا مندے حال ی سمعر كادد، وكمسكم محواردن كالمجزه فيدة كصيفة دس كرورٌ والمكاشكيش ک تھے۔ یہ راوں فرمسینیان کے ایک جرید سے المیندیں تباقع بحائم تح من كرمنا لها كرتن كركم معودى و در في معرى حكا) سے ڈ ماست کے تحریب کی تھی کہ طری براڈکٹن اقدم ہی کے بددين ملي تعون ونهل كدروا في دفاع كومي ف الكراما ما

قابره ۱۸رومبر (کونا) مصرکے نائب وزیر اعظم دوزیر فارجه فيلثهارشل عيدالطيمان غزاله كويت كاجار روز فادوره مكمل كرف كي بعد كزشت روز قابره والي بيني كف-ريدي تأجره فيتايا كدفيار مارش ابوغواله فالسااع دورے کے موقع پر کوئ دکام کے ماتھ فی فعاون کے بارے ش بات دیے۔ کی۔ رید ہوے مطابق ابو فوالے کے کما ك ان كادوره كامياب رباب اوروه اس سلط من مدد حنی مبارک کورپورٹ پیش کریں گے۔ انہوں نے مزید کماکہ کویت میں معرکے دقاعی اسلے کی نمائش آئندہ ہفتے منعقد ہوگ۔ اس سے قبل مرشته روز کونت سے قابرہ رواكلى برفيلة مارشل ابوغواله فاردان اورمعركي تيزى

اس دسخنت احراصا ست کے ہی اود برطان حکے ست کے اس رور کو منا فقار فرار ریا ہے کہ ایک طرف و الران کے خالی شدامسلی کی وزخت کی یا بندیوں کا سٹالبد کمر رہی ہے اور دو مرک طرف اسلحہ چینے کے کام میں مولون اس كو ابناء فتر ايران من موجود سه -سے فیائی ارکیار مرز الصفی ایت بسے فیائی ارکیار مرز الصفی ایت

منيبلكى وبراء كانفريش كمح لمعتدس أوليكى اولوں كى جابيت مسيى متوقف كوشقير دركھنے كاخلىصد ل ا كوير قرار ركف كى حمايت الفائس مقلت كى أس خفيد ملا ۱۸رمبر (اپ) جنوب مشرقی ایشیا کے فیر

رودت من شال ب جو جنيب مشرقي اليا كم مكول كى اليوى ايش كركن ممالك كوزرائ عارج في إ انی حکومت کے مریراہوں کو پیش کی ہے۔ ایسوی ایشن تے جید مکوں نے جن میں قلیائن کے علاوہ اعد جیا مظار الانكا على ليذاوردوالى قال بي كرشت وراور مظل كوفيلاس إلى مرواى كافراس منطوى عن جورى منطل كوفيلاس إلى مرواى كافراس منطوى عن جورى

سودان ايرفورس كاطيادة كركرتب وبؤكيا خرطيمه وسيردى اسودان ايرفد كالمكتفع ف د ارتر فی علاقے می گرکز تباہ برگ میں سمے میں اس کا پیکٹر بدكر وكدا بكروج وعال كعطال جداد كركس كالمحتن كانكيل كعددوس أراعاتكن فاخراف وجس الشادك تدمني معيي ويزرك كرباه وكلب خردا فاسك معابق رين جارطيعون ميرسير بيدابياكه كمتحاصت ليعالم بي

كم فست ظيل ك مريرابول في فكي أن على امركى فعلى اؤول كوير قرار ركينى حمايت كرني رضامتدي كالظمار كينب ليكن يد فيعلد كياب كداس موقف كالممدد عواى مع يرسي كيا جائے كا۔ خيلا كے اہم اخبارات في سفارتي ورييس كرحوا ليسيهايب كرظيانن مى امركا دول

> يفدسنيول ت تعلق ركت والينين بزار طلباء في كولبو بينورش ك مائ في بوكر مظابره كيا- يه طلباكت افعائے ہوئے تھے جن پر مر فار شدہ طلباء کی ربائی کے برين فردون تصر بوليس خان طلباء كوكر فأر كياب جن ير حواى محاز آزادى كى جانب س سرى لتكاسل

انموں نے تا إك اس جماز كو بجانے كى بحرور كوششيں کامیانی سے بمکند نس ہوسکیں۔ سمینی کالیاتی اور انظامی وائر کش صارت انعبید نے آج کوعت فراسال الجنس ايك بيان من كماكه اس كوتي جمازير كندم لدى

جهازمين شادت كيعد برى مقدارسي بيانى بهركياتها على تمام اداكسين كو بيالياكيدا كويت ١٨ر وتمبر (كونا) كويت كي ميري نائم ثرانسيورث سمینی (سے ایم ٹی می) کے ایک اعلی حمد یدار نے مایا ہے که کویت کا بحری جهاز جو گزشته متکل کو امرنی ریاست قورية ا ك ماحل ك قريب بإنام ك ايك جماز ت حمرا الياتا مرتد ضف شب ك تموزي دير بعد دوب ميا-

المكاكادشا كاموثيت صفادت كادكو كمدسين كالمدشين كا معوبدر کمتی ہے۔ اقوام حقدہ کے سکریٹری جمل ورودی یابرکیا جارہا ہے۔ امرکی حکام نے اس بارے میں کوئی كو أيبال في الماس كدام يك كدفاقي اداره تحقيقات ایران میں اسلحہ کی فروخت کابرطاؤی . (ایف کی آئی) کے ایجنوں نے سودیت سفارت کار کی ا جانب ہے اپنا شاختی کارڈ د کھانے کے بعد ان کی مفارتی دفتر الجي تك كام كر <u>لإسبه ال</u>ذلش كتنقيد مراعات كيين ظرائيس راكر ديا كيا- ذي كو شيلا و کے کما کہ سویت سقارت کار' بطاہرائی فیر قانونی *برگرمین می لویث یائے گئے ہی جو جاسوی سے حقاق* انکٹ ف کے بعد سخت بٹھلے کا مامناکوا پڑاک اس کی الله الى كونيلار في مرف انا بنا كريد موت ودارت د فاع کا اسلحه کی فریدو نروخت کا ایک د فتر ایران سفارت کارسینت بوشن کے شن می سیکٹر سیکر یٹری کا حمدہ يُل ابِعي مُكُ كَلِم كُو و إسبط رئين ، وقبل برها يزدنش كايزاني ر کھتے ہیں۔ الیام محدد کی ڈائر کٹری میں سووے مشن میں وفزكوا بيضبها ذيرا وإن كع حظير كمه بعدبذ كريجا جديل وه دو سرى جنگ عظيم كيروسان كي كالنكثاف ان اس وقت مراحب برطانيه كعانات ودير وفاع في وادالعلم بن ايك سوال كالخوار ن بواب دي المواتعيرى كاكل وأفي كالبي كفنطري مرئ يه اعرّات كياكه بين الاقوامي فرجي خدمات كاليك وفراهی کدایران بی کام کردیا ہے -الوزایش نے

اتبام تخده ۱۸ رومبر (اب) اتبام متحده ش سوعت

تل دیل۔ ۱۸مر دممبر (کوما) اگرچه دومری جنگ تحقیم المهاوش فتم مول کین گرمین سکے جو پر طانوی نون کے لے کنریکڑ تما ۱۹۲۲ء سے اپی طرف سے کے ہوئے قیرے کام کی رقم وصول کرنے کیلئے کوشاں ہے۔ بعارتی موید بنجاب کے شرحالند حرے ۱۸۸۸ مالد محد کی سنگھ کا خے مشرقی مو۔ مبارش ایڈین فیلڈ سمینی کے ۱۵ویں یونٹ سكسن موكول اور ليال كالقير كاكام سويا كياف است. كياه دن كلوم وكول كي موكيس تقير كيس اورات يرتدى ور پر مهم برار روپ کی اوالیکی کی حجب حتی اوالیکی کا وقت آیالیاد ممین بوند برماجیج دیا ممیا۔ اے بونت کی تبدیل کی کوئی اطلاع تعمیں لی۔ یونٹ کی طرف سے استھ مان برار دور المعنى الدوات بين كى آن كدور يس إلى فيت كالدادة تقييليان الكورون الكاياكياب كوري منتح كاكمنت كرجيف الجينزب ديمبر ١٩١٩ء عي كام كا معامر کیا۔ اندین طری انجینرنگ مرومر نے اسکے كلفات ويخف اور جله كليم ك تصغير كاليتين ولايا- بعد بایت روسرے صحصہ ک

احلى بلقيون زشالى علاتي حيين بادوى سونتك كادحكاك كمريح حيشنا وبهشنا دنى فوجيعف كويلك كمرك

کولیو- ۱۸مرومبر (رائش) مری لنگاکے درا لحکومت م الماء المجال الم المعاد منول كم الرادول طلباء في احتجال علمو کیا جنیں متشر کرنے کے لئے پیس نے آمویس استال کی جس کے میتے میں کم از کم چو طلباء دگی اوسکا طلباجن کی قداد تین برار کے لگ بھک تھی کولیو کے قریب کیلانے دیندر ٹی ہاسل میں گزشتہ روز ر پیم اور فون کی جانب ہے تلاشی کئے جانے اور طلباء کو فرنكو يك واتراحوج كررب تصد وليس اور فوق كم تقريباً ووبزار اراكين ير كزشته روز اس يعتورش مسكماش على تحس كر متدود يموق مم ير آمد كر لتح اور ۵۶ طلباء کو کرفتار کر لیا۔ اس سے قبل پولیس نے کرشتہ بطل کے دوزے ورد منے بیرہ بینورسی میں جمال مار کر ا فی کو بدود اچاوار اوے کی سلامیں پر آمد کرتی تھیں جك طلبام كى طرف سے اساقد كو وحمكيال دي جان

منظيمة وتقدمني بند كردي كل تقي- آن تقريبا جيه

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دن كماك معدلا كوم وى كالمام ت كدور ماكى سے اور

Argentina overcome in friendly

BUENOS AIRES, Dec 18, (Reuter): Argentine soccer superstar Diego Maradona led the world champions to a 1-0 (0-()) win over West Germany on Wednesday, their third straight success over the side they beat in the 1986 World Cup final.

The Argentine captain was in top form in a brilliant second ralf, setting up the only goal in he 55th minute for Jorge Burruhaga, scorer of the winning goal n the World World Cup final in Aexico.

Maradona broke free of his narker Wolfgang Rolff on the ft and advanced into the penity area dribbling his way past tree other defenders to put the all in Burruchaga's path. Recovering

Burruchaga, playing for regentina for the first time since le Mexico triumph after covering from an injury, taped the ball under the body of oung goalkeeper Bodo Iligner. A 48,000-strong crowd, hopig for a feast of goals, urged the ome side on, but the world nampions squandered a string solid scoring opportunities.

Maradona failed to crown a perb performance when his ot from a pass by substitute dro Troglio skimmed the outie of Illgner's right-hand post. In another close call for West ermany, striker Jose Luis adriguez, leading scorer in the gentine First Division, had ly Iligner to beat but was slow

ck his shot. But the young and relatively experienced German side, ose captain Lothar Matthis was the only veteran of the orld Cup final kept Argentina bay in an even first half. **Visitors**

d allowed the goalkeeper to

uergen Klinsmann, Gerny's leading scorer, nearly put visitors in the lead midway ough the first half, but his ider from a corner hit a post. n the second half, Argentina k total control of midfield I West Germany had no clear ring chances.

Burruchaga and Real .drid's Jorge Valdano, in his t official match in nine monafter suffering from hepatitis, ped Argentina to their bestformance and only their ond victory in seven matches ce their triumph in Mexico.

1 was Argentina's third light victory over West Gerny since Carlos Bilardo took er as national team boss and ınz Beckenbauer took charge the German side.

t was also Argentina's first tory over the Germans at me, although the world chamms increased their record over st Germany to 5-3 in 10 meet-

The defeat was West Geriny's first in nine matches in 87 and only their second since t year's World Cup final. But Beckenbauer was

prived of many leading players r his squad's South American ur and said his goal was to give s young team some intertional experience before hostg the European Championship 1988.

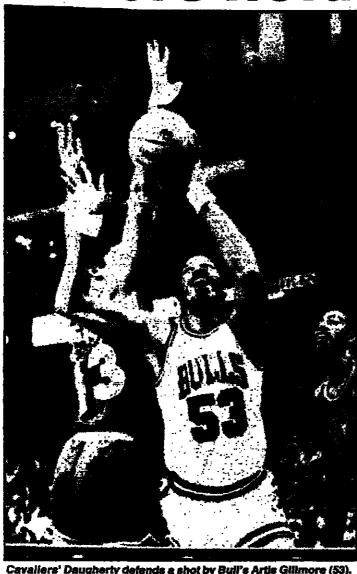
Young
West Germany drew 1-1 with razil in Brasilia on Saturday in e opening tour match.

"We are a very young team ith great chances for the ture," said the promising 23ar-old Klinsmann, after play-g only his second full inter-

"Maradona was great, he had fantastic match," he added.

SAMPSON AND JOHNSON SHINE

W. Germany Lakers hold off Warriors



Cavaliers' Daugherty defends a shot by Buil's Artis Gillmore (53). (Reuter radiophoto)

LONDON, Dec 18, (Reuter): Unbeaten Liverpool, five points ahead of Arsenal in the English First Division, will seek to

increase their lead and psy-chological ascendancy over their

their challengers when they entertain Sheffield Wednesday

Piayers-manager Kenny Dal-

glish's team have won 13 and

drawn five matches, scoring 43

goals in the process. Struggling Wednesday are unlikely to halt

such impressive progress at

And with all their leading

challengers - Arsenal, Nottin-

gham Forest, Everton and Man-

chester United — due to meet

one another during the Christ-

mas and New Year period, Liver-

pool have a perfect opportunity

ZURICH, Dec 18, (Reuter): The European Football Union (UEFA) cut its four-match ban

on Liam Brady to two matches yesterday, after an appeal by the

Brady was sent off for retalia-

tion in Ireland's European Championship qualifying match against Bulgaria in Dublin on

The ban was for "particularly violent behaviour" in the Group

After an appeal board meeting, UEFA said consideration

had been given to the player's exemplary record. It also said it did not think Brady had been

truly violent.
The control and disciplinary

committee banned Brady last

month from the next four

UEFA-organised international

matches, effectively ruling him. out of next June's European

Championship in West Ger-

Seven tie, won 2-0 by Ireland.

Irish international.

October 14.

---Perfect

UEFA cut Brady ban

tomorrow.

Anfield.

Liverpool set to open gap

before 1988 is a week old.

Even Howard Wilkinson, the

Sheffield club's manager, soun-

ded resigned to an unrewarding

exercise ahead as he heaped

praise on the team which has

earned comparisons this season

with Liverpool's great European

Cup-winning teams.

"Liverpool will be favourite to

beat most teams," he said. "It is a

great challenge and a test of tem-

perament. If you cannot play for

Liverpool then the next best

"It is a tremendous opportun-ity and a problem ... We are not defeatists, but it would be impos-

sible to overestimate the size of

record over the last 20 years, they have to go down as the best club

Irish team manager Jack

Charlton said Brady would be

included in the side even though

he would miss the first two mat-

have qualified for our first major

finals at international level,"

Charlton said. "He will be a member of my 20-man squad."

appeal against a two-year ban

from European club competi-

tions because of a tear gas

incident at their Cup Winners. Cup tie against Marseille was

UEFA's control and disciplin-

ary committee last month also

banned the Yugoslav First Div-

ision side from using their

stadium for any UEFA-organ-

ised matches for the next two

rejected by UEFA.

Meanwhile Hajduk Split's

"Liam is the main reason we

ches in West Germany.

side in the world."

When you look at their

thing is to play against them.

NEW YORK, Dec 18, (AP): Ralph Sampson played with the enthusiasm of a rookie in his first game with the Golden State Warriors.

That would have been fine against most teams, but the Los Angeles Lakers played with the enthusiasm of champions down the stretch and beat the Warriors 113-106 last night by outscoring them 22-5 in the final 6:39.

"I came in here off a long flight, but very excited and with a new attitude as though I was just drafted out of college," said Sampson, who had 24 points and eight rebounds in his debut with the Warriors after being acquired from Houston in a blockbuster trade last Saturday

With a sellout crowd of 15,025 cheering Sampson's every move, he led them to a 101-91 lead before the Lakers pulled away behind Magic Johnson, who had 31 points and 17 assists.

In other NBA games, it was Philadelphia 106, New York 96; Washington 115, Indiana 111 in overtime; Chicago 111, Cleveland 100: Los Angeles Clippers 98, Houston 92; and Seattle 114, Sacramento 109.

The Warriors, 3-16 this season, did remarkably well considering the turmoil in the team in the last week.

Top-scorer Chris Mullin went to alcohol rehabilitation, allstars Sleepy Floyd and Joe Barry Carroll left in the Sampson deal and troubled second-year forward Chris Washburn was traded to Atlanta.

Sampson outplayed Lakers centre Kareem Abdul-Jabbar.

United will be giving a debut to central defender Steve Bruce,

their £825,000 (\$1.5 million) sig-

ning from Norwich yesterday, at

"I think he will be worth every

Arsenal face Everton in the

day's top fixture. Defeat would

be a severe blow to either side's

championship ambitions, as Everton's England midfielder

"We're not kidding ourselves

about the size of the task ahead,"

he said. "If we drop points in the

next fortnight, there will an awful lot of daylight between us and

behind the leaders in third place,

but one ahead of fourth-placed

Dutch seeded

for Euro-tourney

DUESSELDORF, West Germany, Dec 18, (Reuter): The

Netherlands became the fourth

and last nation to be seeded for

next June's European soccer

championship after their victory over Greece on Wednesday,

tournament organisers announ-

ced yesterday.

West Germany as hosts and
England as the nation with the

best record in the last World Cup

qualifiers and the current

European qualifiers will head

Groups One and Two respec-

tively in the eight-nation tour-

Italy and the Netherlands, as

the teams with the next best

records, will be second seeds. The

draw will decide which goes in

The four unseeded nations are Spain, the Soviet Union, Den-

Group of One and Two.

mark and Ireland.

Nottingham Forest, 10 points

penny," said manager Alex Ferguson after the completion of the

drawn-out transfer deal.

Trevor Steven admitted.

Portsmouth.

Liverpool.

his streak of double-figure games stopped at 787. Abdul-Jabbar finished with eight points. Bulls 111, Cavallers 100

Michael Jordan scored an NBA season high 52 points and triggered a 12-0 spurt down the stretch with a short jumper that put Chicago ahead of Cleveland with 4:28 left. Brad Daugherty scored 22 points for the

Cavaliers.

Clippers 98, Rockets 92 Michael Cage had a careerhigh 23 rebounds and Mike Woodson scored 28 points for Los Angeles against Houston, which scored just two points in the final 7:46. In their second game for Houston since the Sampson trade, Floyd was 2-for-12 and scored six points and Carroll was 1-for-4 with four points.

Sonics 114, Kings 109 Tom Chambers matched his career high with 42 points and Xavier McDaniel scored six during an 8-0 Seattle spurt down the stretch against Sacramento. The Kings, 0-8 on the road this season, got 21 points each from Otis Thorpe and Mike McGee. 76ers 106, Knicks 96

Charles Barkley had 40 points and 17 rebounds in Philadelphia's victory at New York. Mark Jackson led New York with 19 points and 12 assists. Bullets 115, Pacers 111

Bernard King scored six of his 23 points in overtime, including a tie-breaking basket with 30 seconds left, lifting Washington over Indiana. Moses Malone led the Bullets with 31, and Chuck Person scored a season-high 35 for the Pacers.

Fisa settle Formula One calendar

PARIS, Dec 18, (Reuter): The 1988 Formula One Grand Prix season, comprising 16 races, will start in Brazil on April 3 and end in Australia on November 13, the International Motor Sport Federation (Fisa) said today.

Canada, dropped last season because of a dispute between two rival brewery sponsors, was named as reserve following a meeting of the Fisa executive committee.

Silverstone was chosen as the venue for the British Grand Prix in preference to Brands Hatch.

winds some Stage was a conse

Silverstone last year won a five-year contract with the For-One Constructors' Association (Foca) to stage the event, but Brands Hatch and Royal Automobile Club (RAC), the ruling British body, had wanted it run at each venue in alternate years.

April 3: Brazil (Rio de Janeiro), May I: San Marino (Imola), May 15: Monaco, June Mexico (Rodriguez Circuit), June 19: United States (Detroit), July 3: France (Le Castellet), July July 3: France (Le Castellet), July 10: Britain (Silverstone), July 24: West Germany (Hockenheim), August 7: Hungary (Budapest), August 14: Austria (Zeltweg), August 28: Belgium (Spa), September 11: Italy (Monza), September 25: Portugal (Estoril), October 2: Spain (Jerez), October 30: Japan (Suzuka), November 13: Australia (Adelaide) (Adelaide).

Reservé: Canada.



Johnson and Graf win sports awards

LONDON, Dec 18, (UPI): Canadian Ben Johnson, who scor-ched to a memorable 100 metres world record in August, and West German Steffi Graf, who displaced Martina Navratilova as the No. 1 women's tennis player in the world this year, were named today as UPI's Sportsman and Sportwoman for 1987 in a poll of European sports editors.

Johnson polled 172 votes, 56 more than cyclist Stephen Roche of Ireland, who won an historic treble of Tour de France, Giro de Italia and the world championship.

Collected Czechoslovak Ivan Lendi, ranked the top men's tennis player in the world was third with

62 votes. Graf totalled 146 votes, 34 more than American heptathlete Jackie Joyner-Kersee who collected 112.

Bulgarian Stefka Kostadinova, who had another glittering athletics season, culminating in a world championship title and world record of 2.09 metres in the World Championship in Rome, was third on 80 votes.

Since the poll began in 1974, track and field athletes have won the men's award 11 times including Johnson's success this year.

The only other tennis player to win the women's section have been Chris Evert (1981) and Navratilova finished 10th in the women's nominations this year.

Johnson, who will be 26 on Dec 30, had a superb season on the track where he was unbeaten over 100 metres. At his peak period during August his 'average,' time for the 100 metres was under 10.0 seconds.

He began the year by setting a world indoor record over 60 metres at the inaugural World Indoor Championships in Indianapolis. But his true moment of giory came in the early evening of Sunday, Aug 30 in Rome's Olympic stadium on the second day of the world track and field championships.

He blasted out of the blocks to leave the rest of the field, including defending champion Carl Lewis, a metre behind in the 100 metres World Championship He flashed down the track in

9.83 seconds — a full tenth of a second faster than the old world record mark of 9.93 set by Calvin Smith in 1983, which Lewis equalled. Neither man had ever run faster.

Johnson's performance was described as being the greatest single feat in track and field history since Bob Beamon's historic 8.90 metres (29 ft 2-1/2 inch) long jump at the Mexico Olympics in 1968. Beamon's leap, although performed at altitude, has never been bettered.

Johnson himself does not expect his record to last for as long as Beamon's. He said afterwards he is capable of running 9.78 seconds in the Olympics next year.

Defeats

Graf, still only 18, completed the year with merely two losses in 7 matches. The two defeats were in the finals of the two biggest championships, Wimbledon and the US Open.

During the year she also won the French and Italian Opens and played consistently well throughout to displace Navratilova as the World's No. 1 ranked player.

Longo escapes punishment

PARIS, Dec 18, (UPI): The French Cycling Federation decided today not to impose any punishment on world champion cyclist Jeannie Longo, who faced a suspension of up to six months for taking a banned substance.

Longo, who still faces a one-month suspension from the International Cycling Union. had traces of the drug ephedrine in her system when she set the 3,000-metre world speed record in September in Colorado Springs.
The Frenchwoman said she unwittingly ingested the ephedrine, which has the potential to stimulate nerve fibres and produce a boost similar to that obtained from adrenaline, when she used an antihistamine to

relieve allergy symptoms.

She faced an automatic suspension of up to six months from the FFC, but the group voted not to imposing any sanctions.

Soviets still undecided over participation in Olympics

MOSCOW, Dec 18, (AP): The Soviet Union has still not decided whether it will take part in the 1988 Olympics in South Korea, a Soviet official said yesterday.

Gennady I-Gerasimov, head of the foreign ministry information department, was asked at a government news briefing if the results of the South Korean election would affect Soviet participation in the Seoul Games. Staged

Ruling party candidate Roh Tae-Woo claimed victory yesterday in South Korea's first democratic presidential election in 16 years. The US-aligned country has no diplomatic rela-

tions with Moscow.

Gerasimov declined to comment on the results of the South Korean election, saying, "they already have enough internal debate as it is as to the outcome."

He indicated the Soviets were still pondering whether they should take part in the Seoul Olympics. North Korea, an ally of Moscow, has demanded that a part of the Games be staged on its territory.

Gerasimov said, "the deadline for applying for participation has not yet been reached and our Olympic committee has not yet said its final word, provided its final reply to the International Olympic Committee."

He said the international committee would receive a definite answer closer to the deadline. Guarantee

The Soviet Union boycotted the 1984 Olympics in Los Angeles, contending that US authorities could not guarantee the safety of participants.

The Kremlin's decision, however, was widely seen as a titfor-tat reaction to the US withdrawal from the 1980 Games in Moscow. The United States cancelled its participation to protest the 1979 Soviet military drive into Afghanistan.

Jansher takes **Meads to task**

LONDON, Dec 18, (Reuter): Stand-in Stephen Meads survived 26 minutes against world champion Jansher Khan in a club match last night.

Jansher, making his debut for Meridian Stripes in the Second Division of the British National Squash League, beat his 17-yearold opponent 9-1 9-0 9-1.

But the Pakistani's efforts were not enough to stop the Stripes going down 3-2 to League clash of London rivals. Stripes stay bottom of the League after five defeats from five matches. Snapped

Premier Division clubs have used up their quota of one overseas player and Jansher was snapped up by the Stripes when he became available.

Meads, a squash coach at his local club, is the reigning British closed under-19 champion, but only played Jansher when the club's regular number one had to pull out because his wife was expecting a baby.

Marsh loses job

LONDON, Dec 18, (AP): Former world light-welterweight boxing champion Terry Marsh. who was forced to quit the sport after discovering he was epilep-tic, was told yesterday he had lost his job as a fireman.

3ecker opts out of Open

ONN, Dec 18, (Reuter): For-er Wimbledon champion Boris ecker has decided to take a reak from competitive tennis ir six weeks and will miss next ionth's Australian Open, the iass-circulation Bild newspaper

ported today. The 20-year-old West Gerian, who has a contract with ild, has been receiving treatent in Munich for a chronic nee injury since returning from ne Masters in New York last

Injury
Bild said Becker, his manager
on Tiriac and new coach Bob lirett had agreed that the player hould rest from competition to llow the injury to heal properly. Becker will return to the courts t the end of January for three xhibition matches with world umber one Ivan Lendl of Czehoslovakia, two in Japan and ine in West Germany.

His first official competition will be the first round Davis Cup tie with Brazil in Essen from

February 5-7.

Becker has fallen from second to fifth in the world rankings this year after a season in which he was plagued by illness, injury and erratic form. Tiriac said in an interview this

week he was prepared to bet that Becker would become the world number one within two years if he followed Brett's instructions. Becker's slide followed his break with previous coach Gunther Bosch last January. After a

long search for a suitable replacement he hired Australian Brett earlier this month. Asked to explain the dif-

ference in the methods of the two coaches, Tiriac said: "I never understood that Bosch only worked on Boris' strengths. Brett is trying to get rid of his weaknesses. That's the right way."

Graf has nose operation

IAMBURG, West Germany, Dec 18, (Reuter): Steffi Graf, the vorld's number one women's ennis player, has undergone sursery to correct a sinus problem. he mass circulation Bild news-

paper said yesterday. The three-hour operation on Wednesday was in Weinheim,

near her hometown of Bruehl. "Her nose is still frozen up, but the operation was carried out without complications," Graf's father, Peter, was quoted as saying. Bild said Graf's sinus problem had left her prone to frequent sniffles and coughing

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QADIR HAMMERS ENGLAND BOWLERS

Aamir lifts Pakistan out of trouble

All-rounder Aamir Malik, playing in only his second Test, bat-ted doggedly throughout the day for an unbeaten 91 to make almost certain of a Pakistan victory in the three-match cricket series against England.

Already one up in the series, Pakistan began the third day of the final Test on a precarious 122 for four but despite the loss of two early wickets, Aamir remained unruffled to take the score to 345 for eight by the close. Shared

England made 294 in their first

innings. Aamir laboured for 330 minutes to add a further 90 to the single he had scored yesterday and shared in stands of 76 and 94 with Wasim Akram and Abdul Oadir to make a draw the most likely outcome.

After Saleem Malik was out in the second over of the day at his overnight 55 and Ashraf Ali was gone for 12 to make Pakistan 146 for six, Aamir found a more reliable partner in Wasim Akram.

The pair took the score to 222 before Wasim became Bruce French's third victim behind the stumps after he had made 37 but England's frustration continued

TCCB chief supports idea of neutral umpires

KARACHI, Dec 18, (Reuter): England's Test and County Cricket Board (TCCB) chairman Raman Subba Row supports the idea of neutral umpires in international cricket.

Subba Row said it was his personal view. The TCCB had no official view on the question yet, he added, but the matter could be on the agenda of the next International Cricket Conference (ICC) meeting in London.

He said that a TCCB committee will discuss the question of neutral umpires, the board can then consider any recommendations and could decide to put a resolution before the ICC.

Row said his personal view was that "every visiting team must have the option, if they want to have a third-country umpire ... if the host country agrees. The request, I think, should be made three months in advance.

He said he had a thorough discussion with the Pakistan Cricket Board (BCCP) officials on the Faisalabad umpiring incident.

Recorded

'Meanwhile, Pakistan cricket officials are to investigate the public row between England captain Mike Gatting and umpire Shakoor Rana which may have been recorded through a special effects microphone.

A television sound microphone placed near the pitch could have picked up heated remarks between Gatting and Shakoor on the second day of the second Test in Faisalabad which were believed to be on tape.

The row, which was sparked over a fielding change by Gatting as the bowler ran, caused the loss of the third day's play and put the rest of the tour in jeopardy.

Asked about reports of a tape recording of the row, England manager Peter Lush said: "At least I do not have any knowledge of such tape and nothing has been mentioned to me since the incident occurred." Subba Row said officials of (BCCP) made no mention of such a tape during meetings with

him.
"If the tape does exist why was it not produced?" Subba Row asked. "It will be useful as far as we are concerned.

Pakistan's television authorities, however, deny that there is such sound tape with them.

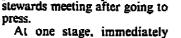
A committee set up by the (BCCP) to make a full inquiry into the incident is due to interview England players on Sunday evening.

Dennis appeals

LONDON, Dec 18, (Reuter): Queens Park Rangers defender Mark Dennis has appealed against a 53-day suspension imposed on him by the English Football Association (FA) for bringing the sport into disrepute.

As a result, he will be available to play for Rangers in their Christmas and New Year matches in the English First Division until his appeal is heard.

Dennis's punishment followed the 11th sending off in his 10-year





Aamir hits a six off Emburey. (Reuter radiophoto)

as Qadir attacked the bowling. Off-spinner John Emburey came in for some heavy punishment as Qadir lashed four sixes and six fours and the scoring rate speeded up as the pair added 50 runs in 70 minutes after the tea

long-leg fence and another through mid-off which took Pakistan past the England total. A further four to mid-wicket off Cook by Oadir hoisted the 300.

With Pakistan's score on 304 for seven, and Aamir on 72, he was dropped by Cook off his own bowling, but by then any chance of an England victory to square the series had disappeared.

Qadir hit Emburey for two sixes in an over to complete his half century and pass his previous highest Test score of 54 made against New Zealand at Wellington in 1984-85.

The magical leg-spinner, who took five wickets in England's innings, was finally out for 61 when David Capel, given the ball only late in the day, bowled him middle stump to take his first Test wicker.

Qadir made 61 and fellow spinner Iqbal Qasim denied England any further success to finish unbeaten on 10.

The match continues on Sunday after a rest day tomorrow.

Scoreboard ENGLAND first imnings (overnight 222 for seven)G. Gooch e Ashraf Ali D. Capel b Qadir... P. Defreitas b Qadir J. Emburey c Oadir b Jaffer. B. French c Miandad b Salim

Extras (lb-8 w-1 nb-6). Total . Fall of wickets: 1-20 2-41 3-55 4 72 5-72 6-85 7-199 8-274 9-291 Bowling: Wasim 24.1-3-64-2, Jaf-fer 23.5-6-74-2, Qadir 49.4-16-88-5, Qasim 18-4-51-0, Mudassar 1-1-0-0, Salim Matik 5-2-9-1.

N. Cook Ibw b Qadir

G. Dilley not out

PAKISTAN, first innings (overnight 122 for tour) Mudassar Nazar ibw b Defreitas...6 Rameez Raja c French b Cook.....50 Salim Malik c Gatting b Defreitas55

Javed Miandad lbw b Emburey4

Ejaz Ahmad run out. Aamir Malik not out Ashraf Ali c French b Dilley. Wasim Akram c French b

Defreitas. Abdul Qadir b Capel Igbal Qasim not out Extras (lb-11 nb-8). Total (for eight wickets) 345 Fall of wickets: 1-18 2-105 3-110 4-110 5-122 6-146 7-222 8-316.

Bowling to date: Dilley 21-2-102-1, Defreitas 20-3-80-3, Emburey 49-22-88-1. Cook 33-12-56-1, Capel 3-0-8-1.

.Indian run spree Dujon hits 123 in J. Dujon c Rajput b G. Sharma., 123 G. Logie c A. Sharma b G. Sharma 54

VISAKHAPATNAM, India, Dec 18, (Reuter): West Indies wicketkeeper Jeff Dujon, who could win a place on the strength of his accomplished batting alone, recaptured form by hammering his first century on the tour of India today.

Dujon scored a rapid 123 as the West Indians rattled up 347 for nine, at which point Viv Richards declared at the close of the opening day of their threeday match against the Indian Cricket Board President's X1.

Promoted

Dujon has rarely batted at his best since West Indies arrived on the sub-continent for the World Cup that preceded the current tour, but he was promoted to number three here and seized his opportunity with relish.

The wicketkeeper-batsman came in after an opening stand of 80 in 19 overs by Richie Richardson and Phil Simmons, who made clear their intentions from the start after Richards won the toss on a turning pitch. Once the local team's modest

seam attack had been put to the sword, the Indians relied on their slow bowlers to shoulder the attack, and off-spinner Gopal Sharma, who took six for 104, and Raman shared the wickets. Gopal Sharma made the

breakthrough by getting Richardson to edge a delivery to Anshuman Gaekward in the slips after he made 43, containing five fours and one six. Simmons was next to go, playing down three wrong line and being bowled by Raman for 47, with eight fours.

Dujon and Gus Logie shared a third wicket partnership of 100, with the wicketkeeper hitting eight fours and two sixes before he was caught by Lalchand Rajput off Sharma. Sharma also accounted for

Logie, who struck eight fours in making 54. Richards was among the few

batsmen who failed to get among the runs, scoring just six before being caught by Rashid Patel off Scoreboard

WEST INDIES first innings R. Richardson c Gaekwad b G.

C. Butts lbw G. Sharma. W. Davis not out Extras (b-11 lb-4 nb-3). Total (for nine wickets declared) 347

D. Williams c Gaekwad b

Hopper c and b G. Sharma...

E. Baptiste c and b Raman V. Richards c Patel b Raman .

Did not bat: W. Benjamin Fall of wickets: 1-80 2-100 3-202 4-204 5-240 6-249 7-263 8-273. Bowling: Singh 6-0-31-0, Patel 7-1-30-0, Raman 32-4-94-3, G. Sharma 33.5-5-104-6, Gudge 11-1-49-0, Gaekwad 2-0-9-0. A. Sharma 2-0-15-Q.

INDIA: A. Gaekwad (captain), S. Vishwanath, Lalchand Rajput, S. Manjrekar, Sunil Gudge, Ajay Sharma, W.V. Raman, Gopal Sharma, Khaid Quaiyim, Rashid Patel, Randhir Singh.

Kasparov needs win to retain title

SEVILLE, Spain, Dec 18, (Reuter): World chess champion Garry-Kasparov, needing a win to retain his crown against challenger Anatoly Karpov, made a patient start to the last game of their title match today.

Chess experts felt his best ance for victory was to play a waiting game, keeping pieces on the board and hoping for Kar-pov, who won the 23rd game yesterday, to crack under the ten-In the early middle game this

was clearly his aim. "If he had a strong aggressive system that couldn't be defused

he would have used it." Dutch grandmaster Hans Ree told Reuters.

Analysis

"He's playing for fantastic adjournment analysis," Ree said, meaning Kasparov could play until the game was adjourned after today's five-hour first session to be able to analyse his position overnight. Kasparov, 24, faced the daunt-

ing task of recovering from 11-12 points down to tie the 24-game

By Gail Seery

in Bahrain

QATARI Abbas Al Mousawi and co-driver Mubarak Al Hajri

took a 30 second victory over Tareq Al Wazzan and Khaled

Khalifa in the BP Bahrain 4×4

Rally yesterday. Both drivers

were in Range Rovers, and

proved that this was the vehicle

most ideally suited to the requirements of the event.

Of the top four places, three

were held by Range Rovers. Al

Wazzan was driving his Arab

Times/Marlboro sponsored

Range Rover which was recently

rebuilt in Dubai for this event. Al

Mousawi was driving the same

vehicle that Al Wazzan took to

tenth place in the Dubai inter-

national at the beginning of this

Exact

This was the most closely

fought Middle East inter-

national event since the Kuwait

International in March, and

both Mousawi and Wazzan set

very close times throughout.

However there was a degree of

confusion about the exact times,

and the results carried here are

provisional, and dependent on a

Mousav



Judge Geurd Gidssen from Holland reaches across the chess-board to make Karpov's 41st move which had been sealed in the 23rd game. (Reuter radiophoto)

match at 12-12. In that case, as champion, he would retain the He was playing with the

thought that Al Wazzan had won

and why this was reversed is not

In third place were Kuwaiti

champions Ahmed Al Hilal and

Fahed Al Rashed, in their Mit-

subishi Pajero, just 18 seconds

behind Al Wazzan and 48

seconds behind Mousawi.

Fourth were new Marlboro

driver Eid Falah Al Farzan and

Sadeq Ashkanani, who suffered

a host of problems in their Al

The Lamborghini Cheetah, piloted by Saudi Samir Kaaki,

and co-driven by Mamdouh

Khayyat was fifth, with husband

and wife team Tareq and

Khulood Alyan finishing sixth.

The sole Bahraini finisher, K.

Ramadan, was in seventh and

event there were two distinct bat-

tles being fought: the first was between Al Wazzan and Al Mousawi for the lead, and the

second was between Eid Falah

and Ahmed Al Hilal for first

place in the Marlboro Desert Challenge.

On the first stage, Wazzan was just one second faster than

Mousawi, but from then on the

Qatari team were clocking what

occasionally appeared to be

unbelievably fast times.

Right from the start of the

last place.

Zayani backed Range Rover.

currently clear.

advantage of the white pieces but he had to pull back from the psychological low of defeat in the penultimate game yesterday.

Al Wazzan: finishes in second place

Although Mousawi reported brake problems towards the end

of the first leg, these didn't slow

him. Wazzan hit what appeared

to be disaster on stage three when

he had problems with his fuel

pump, which cost him one min-

against Abbas, but against

myself, to make up the time," he

told the Arab Times. He made up

the time over the remaining

stages, despite more difficulties

with punctures. Mousawi also

suffered a puncture on the penul-

timate stage and it was at this stage that the Arab Times/Marl-

"After that I was driving not

ute and thirty seconds.

Horne solves

Kiwis' problem DEVONPORT, Tasmania, Dec 18, (Reuter): A century by Phil Horne improved New Zealand's hopes of solving its Test opening batting problem on the first day of the tourist's four-day cricket match against Tasmania today.

Playing in only his second first class match of the tour, he made 125 in 294 minutes with 16 fours. But struggling captain Jeff Crowe again failed to get the big

score he was looking for when he was run out for 36. At stamps on the first day New

Zealand was 327 for six with Ian Smith on 30 and Evan Gray nine.

British soccer

LONDON, Dec 18, (Reiter): Results of British soccer matches played on Wednes-

Second round, third replay Maidstone 2 Kidderminster I (Maidstone away to Sheffield United in

boro team believed they had

caught and passed their rival. Navigator Khaled Khalifa said

he was uncertain of how the

In the other battle, Al Hilal

results had come to be reversed.

managed to stay ahead of Falah, but felt that this rally was far

more suited to the Range Rover

— "it's a very bumpy rally," he

said. "The Pajero did well to fin-ish so high." However he was unhappy of the result at the end.

"Ok, I only came in third, but at

least I didn't shortcut," he told

the Arab Times, referring to the

controversy regarding the top

two positions.

Hearts

St Mirren Hibernian Motherwell



Kuwait beat Iraq in qualifier

THE Kuwait national soccer team beat Iraq 2-1 yesterday in an Olympic qualifying match marred by unsporting behaviour of some members of the Iraqi team at the end of the match.

Kuwait, which completed its first round of the two-leg matches, went on to the attack from the start of the game played at Kuwait's Sabah Al Salem stadium.

Strongly

The home sides' efforts paid off in the 6th minute when Waeil Sulaiman beat the Iraqi goalk-eeper to put his team ahead. Iraq fought back strongly but their forwards squandered the chances that came their way.

Abdul Aziz Al Hajiri made it 2-0 for Kuwait in the 22nd minute of the first half which ended at the same score.

In the second half, the Iraqi team went on the offensive but were held off by the Kuwait defence line. Iraq, however, narr-

SPORTS BRIEFS

season, a club spokesman said yesterday.

Queensland nine for one.

draw with Cadiz.

Sicilian resort.

Union's Alexander Popov.

Sheffield Shield cricket matches

Barcelona brush aside Espanol

Mitchell seeks record victory

Fischer wins men's 20 km event

Wilander puts Sweden ahead

Bahrain rally victory

Eid Falah was having

problems with shock absorbers.

Throughout the latter part of the

event his suspension had clearly

gone, and he did well to stay in

place and not drop back. The

Range Rover was clearly very

cumbersome and difficult to

handle from then on. Earlier, he

had problems with his fan belt,

with the gearbox and with the

steering.
Falah told the Arab Times that

he was disappointed with the

result, but added that the impor-

tant thing was his standing in the

Mariboro Desert Challenge: Bahraini champion Ebrahim

Barcelona loan Archibald to Blackburn

BARCELONA, Spain, Dec 18, (Reuter): Barcelona, faced with a glut

of foreign players, have loaned Scottish striker Steve Archibald to

English Second Division club Blackburn Rovers for the rest of the

SYDNEY, Dec 18, (Reuter): Scores on the first day of the two four-

day Sheffield Shield cricket matches today: In Sydney: New South

Wales 226 for three (Steve Waugh 128 not out) v Victoria. In Brisbane: Western Australia 217 (Tom Moody 89, Dirk Tazelaar six for 52) v

MADRID, Dec 18, (Reuter): Barcelona proved their recovery to

form with a 3-1 away win to neighbouring Espanol despite playing a mediocre game in the second round, first leg of the Spanish Cup on

Wednesday. League leaders Real Madrid were held to a 1-1 away

CAPO D'ORLANDO, Sicily, Dec 18, (Reuter): Brian Mitchell, prevented from defending his World Boxing Association (WBA)

junior lightweight title in his own country, bids to set a South African

record tomorrow. He will be attempting to become the first South

African to sucessfully defend a world crown four times when he meets

Italy's European champion Salvatore Curcetti in this northern

HOCHFILZEN, Austria. Dec 18, (AP): Fritz Fischer of West Ger-

many won the 20 kilometre event at the World Cup biathlon yesterday in 1 hour 7 minutes and 36.2 seconds, only seconds ahead of the Soviet

GOTHENBURG, Sweden, Dec 18, (Reuter): Mats Wilander sustained his excellent Davis Cup record to give titleholders Sweden a winning start in the 1987 final against India today. Wilander took his haul of victories to 30 in 37 singles by routing Indian number one Ramesh Krishnan 6-4 6-1 6-3 in five minutes under two hours.

Matter was unfortunate to go

out of the rally after stage 6 when

he had a problem with his fuel

pump: it blew up, and caught fire. Ahmed Al Zafiri's Suzuki/

Mazda went out early. It soun-

ded very sick on leaving parc

ferme and was passed parked at the side of the road shortly after.

He had to be push started into

stage 2 by a service jeep, and went out at the end of the stage with a

Completed

The rally was flagged off by Saeed Al Hajri in thick fog. 16

starters dwindled rapidly, and

only seven finished. Of these, five

were Kuwaiti, one was from

Qatar. Only one Bahraini driver

Promoter Sean O'Connor

explained that as the island has

not been hosting international

events for some time, the stan-

dard of car preparation was

apparently much lower. The

rally also represented the highest

number of Kuwaiti entrants in an

international event outside

Provisional times: 1. Mous-awi/Al Hajri 1.15.38, 2. Wazzan/

Khalifa 1.16.08, 3. Hilal/Rashed

1.16.26. 4. Falah/Ashkanani

1.18.26, 5. Kaaki/Khayat

1.24,54, 6. Alyan/Alyan 2.03.47, 7. Ramadan/Ramadan 2.15.48.

completed the event.

blown turbo.

owed the margin in the 20th minute of the second half through Kareem Alaawi, who took advantage of a lapse by the Kuwaiti defenders, to give his team a chance of getting back into the game.

The Iraqi team tried desperately to get the equaliser but were held off by the Kuwaiti defence.

After the game, some of the Iraqi players, including the coach, tried to vent their fury on the referee but the security men did not allow the situation to get out of control.

The president of the Kuwait Football Association, Sheikh Fahd Al Ahmed, in a statement after the match, said that there was no cause for such incidents in matches between Kuwait and

Sheikh Fahd added that such incidents would not affect the brotherly relations between the two countries as Kuwait has

always stood by Iraq. Such incidents, he said, take place all over the world but as the incident took place in a meeting of brothers and in Kuwait, it is a point not in favour of the Arab sports

movement in general.

Sheikh Fahd congratulated the Kuwaiti team on its victory and asked them to carry on in the same spirit to achieve their aim of qualifying for the 1988 Olympics in Seoul.

He added that the result of the match was a decisive reply to the critics of the team.

Meanwhile in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia and Qatar drew I-I in a -: .: qualifying match of the same group. Ahmed Jamel scored for Saudi Arabia in the 48th minute while Isa Ahmed got the equaliser for Qatar in the 61st minute.

Kuwait now leads the group -with five points from three 🕮 games, followed by Iraq with three points and Qatar and Saudi Arabia each with two.

National win African Champion's Cup

CAIRO, Dec 18, (Reuter): The adenie African Champions' Soccer Cup today for a second time, beating 🚐 🗀 Sudan's Ai Hilai 2-0 in a thrilling 😑

second leg.
National, three times winners of the African Cup Winners' Cup, played a tactical defensive gaine to hold Al Hilal to a 0-0 1200000 draw in the first leg in Khartoum

two weeks ago. But, supported by 70,000 fans led by Egyptian President Hosni officials, they went on the offensive from the start of today's 🚎 home match.

Head

After only five minutes, striker Hossam Hassan sent a cross from the left into the goal month and Sudanese defender Gamai Khameis could only head the ball

into the net. The lead inspired the Egyp tians to launch a series of attacks but the Sudanese organised their defensive lines and also came :

close to scoring twice.
In the 43rd minute, Egyptian striker Taher Abu Zeid picked ip a loose ball, ran in from the left and passed to striker Ayman Shawki who headed homeeasily.

Mathew and Renuka show 1/2 their class

RAVI MATHEW, the Kuwiit Open badminton champion, showed his class again on Thurs day when he took the men's sin while gles title at the United Malayales Organisation (UMO) badmintournament courts.

Mathew beat George Joseph in the final of the tourney which started on Dec 4 and after a number of rounds ended on Thurs: 18 day.
Mathew later combined with

K.S. Jose to clinch the double title with a victory over Johnson Varghese and Cherry George. Splendid : The singles match was a closely fought affair with Joseph giving nothing away but fie had

finally to give way to a splendid finally to give way to a spending game by Mathew who delighted game by Mathew who delighted the crowd with his drop shots. Renuka Gopinath also finished with a double crown. In the ladies' singles she beat Lekha Ramachandran and later combined with her opponent to beat

Fauzia Kunhi Mohammed and

Mrs Zuhra Mohammed Kuttym the ladies' doubles final. Suresh Ramachandran and M K Fazil Kunhi Mohammed, who displayed their talents in an exhibition match after the men's

singles final, were awarded the UMO Chairman's Medal for junior players. Annual Subscriptions:

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